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EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

WALLACE says his name was forged too, by the Democratic Committee. Shade of the coffee-pot, can these things be!

THE Northern Democrats and the Confederate Brigadiers stand shoulder to shoulder in defence of the opinion that in putting down the Rebellion General Grant earned the lasting hatred of the Democratic party. They take that way of extinguishing the animosities of the late war.

CONGRESSMAN and ex-candidate for President Weaver and some others sent a congratulatory despatch to Governor Plaisted of Maine on Saturday. The name of General Hancock does not, however, appear among the signers. He sent his congratulations last September, and has been sorry ever since that he did.

TAKEN in the aggregate, the bank clearings of our American commercial cities seem to prove that the volume of domestic exchanges in the United States far transcends in magnitude the corresponding volume of the United Kingdom. Indeed there is reason to think that the American exchanges in the mass, both for foreign and domestic business, compare favorably with those of England.

THERE are over 7,000 bills on the calendar of the House of Representatives, and in order to dispose of them before the end of the session they will have to be got rid of at the rate of 1,000 a week, and yet over 125 bills were introduced last week. If the House can't find time to dispose of these bills, there ought to be some way of disposing of the Congressmen who neglect or delay the public business.

THERE are dreadful intimations by disappointed Democrats in Washing, that a large percentage of the funds contributed for the election of Hancock never got further than Barnum's headquarters. They talk about demanding a bill of items of recepts and expenditures. Barnum must still have some unpaid bills. Perhaps he is no better than our Centre county chairman. If this sort of calumny goes much further, these fellows, it is likely, will become thoroughly disgusted with politics.

THE repudiated Minnesota bonds were issued just after the panic of 1875 and in aid of the railroads. Although the roads have made the State what it is, not a dollar of interest has been paid on the bonds, and unless the majority of votes cast at the next general election provides that the capital shall be paid, not only interest but principaal will have been entirely repudiated and lost. Minnesota has just one chance left, then, to determine whether she will place herself in the category with the worst Southern States or not.

THE disastrous experiment with Marshal Fitzsimmons shows the absolute uselessness of trying to enforce the laws of the Government in the Southern States by means of Democratic officials. The solid sentiment of the South is against the enforcement of the revenue laws, and in many sections of the South it is regarded as an entirely justifiable act to shoot a revenue officer who tries to perform his duty. "The United States Government has no business to be interfering with our affairs," is the common declaration about the Government efforts to suppress illicit distillation in the South, and it will be remembered that during the recent campaign the remark was more than once made that when "Hancock is elected we will stop all that." A Democratic official has not the disposition to oppose this sentiment, and if he had the disposition he would not have the courage.

The Senatorial Contest.

Before this issue of the REPUBLICAN reaches its readers the Senatorial contest should be decided, but it does not at the time of writing this article look favorable for such a result. Oliver has been nominated by the caucus, but forty-seven Republicans have refused to accept the caucus nomination. The *North American*, in speaking of this subject, says:

"Like John Gilpin's ride, the Senatorial race has developed something rather different from what was promised at the outset. It is idle to attempt any concealment of the fact that the skies are not so clear as they were ten days ago. The new phases of the conflict are less of the normal political order than were the earlier phases. It is quite possible that the result may once more illustrate the maxim that 'the race is not always to the swift, nor the battle to the strong.' For while no formidable coalition has yet been indicated, the backbone of the field in which Grow and Oliver are chief actors shows some shadowy faces, which may become more clearly defined as the end of the conflict approaches.

"The significance of the bolt lies in the way it was effected. And there are names in the list of bolters whose owners act with deliberation on such occasions, and who are not in the habit of taking untenable positions upon the impulse of the moment. We survey the situation at Harrisburg not as a partisan of either of the contending parties, but as it appears. The men who led that bolt are not fond of bolting. They are rather in the habit of submitting to such that would warrant resistance. When they draw off in such a contest they mean business. And it is now in the interest of all the actors in this novel struggle to think twice before committing themselves to a conflict which cannot end with this struggle for mastery if once begun. It may be necessary to reform the entire line, to retire the leaders who represent a family quarrel, and break ground anew.

"Clearly the caucus has not settled anything, unless it be the will and the power to resist on the part of a very large following. There is ample time to adjust all differences, and the gentlemen who may be wise enough to submit a plan for readjustment which shall succeed will make for themselves a rather enviable reputation."

It has been thought by many that Gen. James A. Beaver, of this town, was in position to become a compromise candidate. Several papers throughout the State have mentioned him with favor, while at the same time we know there are some, even of his political opponents, who only want the chance to give him their votes. While he is not the man Cameron and his faction would take if they could have their absolute choice, yet he would not be objectionable to them, and the Grow men, when they see there is no hope for their favorite, might not object to Beaver. Coming from the centre of the State, the eastern and the western men might yield to a man who comes from neither section and could be claimed by both. He comes from a Democratic county, therefore has not had members from his county in the Legislature to compromise him, or raise antagonism by their action in favor of the rival candidates. These are some of the reasons upon which his friends claim he has strength as a compromise candidate.

Gen. Beaver was a soldier in the rebellion, and lost a leg in the service of his country; is a General of State militia; a leading lawyer of the Bellefonte bar; a gentleman of broad culture.

If a lightning stroke from the political firmament which is now black with portentious clouds should happen to strike him, he would make a Senator that would do honor and credit to our State. He has been a life long Republican, always true to the principles of the party to which he loves to honor and serve. If the party could compromise on Beaver, all Republicans could rest assured that the senatorial mantle had fallen upon shoulders worthy to wear it.

The New Administration.

Concerning the coming administration of President Garfield that excellent, steady-going journal, the *North American* of Philadelphia, makes the following remarks:

Over and above all the varying reports about the probable composition of President Garfield's Cabinet with delegations organized to demand Cabinet places for particular States or interests, it begins to be tolerably clear that the new administration is likely to take a new departure in national statesmanship, and to present a broader range of politics, measures and purposes than we have been accustomed to during the past four years. In one respect we think the prospect is well assured—that the Cabinet will not be so organized as to give excessive prominence to one great and powerful intellect by filling the other departments with men of less calibre. It is now pretty clear, also, that the new administration will represent very distinctly and positively the protective policy of the Republican party, both with regard to the manufactures and the mercantile marine. The Hayes administration has done practically nothing to fortify and defend the protective policy itself, or to give to it the proper credit for its share in the present prosperity. There is one thing that must be understood sooner or later—the national government cannot afford to neglect all the other great purposes and objects presented to it in order to confine its attention to the endless funding and refunding of the national debt. Of course we do not wish to be understood as sympathizing in any degree with the London Spectator's notion that it is our duty to intermeddle extensively in foreign affairs. But it does not admit of question that even in those matters of international policy that directly and vitally concern our interests, the Hayes administration has been weak from want of first-class statesmanship in the department of foreign affairs. This is notably the case in the matter of the various isthmian canal schemes, and, in point of fact, if the Republic has any foreign policy at all, it has not been asserted or rendered evident by any act of the present administration. Everything has been made to bend to the one sole purpose of refunding the public debt and saving money.

IT is announced that General Grant has accepted the position of president of the Committee on permanent Organization of the International Exhibition, which is to be held in New York, or rather near New York, three years from now, in consideration of his having been elected to the place, by a unanimous vote. The projectors of the proposed World's Fair are to be congratulated upon the circumstance. They have secured the services of a man whose name is a tower of strength, and whose sagacity and strong common sense will render his co-operation of great practical value.

Now that the two great telegraph companies have agreed to consolidate their interests, it remains to be seen whether as a consequence of this we shall have the telegraph rates restored to their former figures, and thus lose all the benefits in the way of cheap telegraphing that were furnished by the competition between the two companies. If such should be the result, nothing can be surer than the establishment of the postal telegraph service by the national government.

PERHAPS Barnum does not call for an investigation of the Morey forgery because he prefers to wait for a Republican Congress to undertake the job. He has only to mention such a preference to have it complied with.

WASHINGTON.

Special Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 13, '81.

I notice often in the proceedings of Congress, some Senator or Member will rise in his seat and offer a petition or resolution from some Board of Trade, Commercial organization, or a number of private citizens urging upon Congress the necessity for distributing the Geneva Award fund. Yesterday a member rose and offered a petition from the New York Chamber of Commerce, relating to this matter. In a matter in which the rights of claimants, and the justice of their claims are so clearly defined, it makes negligence almost a crime, year after year refuse to appropriate from the Treasury money which in law and right belongs to citizens who suffered losses for which the Government has the indemnity but refuses them its trust. There is a determination in both Houses of Congress to put an end to this matter before adjournment. It has been a public and prominent trouble since the war. First the contest of the United States to get the Award from Great Britain; second, the contest still going on of citizens on whose behalf the money was demanded, to get their dues from the Government. The claimants are persistant, and have kept up a banging of the doors of the Capitol that the din is becoming such an annoyance, both Houses will make haste, as soon as several other matters are disposed of to rid themselves of it.

If at this time a correspondent were to refer to the proceedings of Congress to furnish items of interest, the poor fellow would be poor indeed. In fact, legislation untempered by politics is dull, so very dull that one cannot write upon it without feeling keenly the weakness of matters. The depravity of the Senate has reached its maximum. For almost a week past that heretofore august body has given entire attention to the District tramps, in a bill providing for their welfare. Yesterday, however, the tramps yielded to Army appropriation bill, which will probably pass to-day.

The Wood funding bill is still before the House, though in the spare hours two appropriation bills have been passed. The funding bill as it now is, no one would recognize as the then supposed, able and complete measure, introduced by the distinguished gentlemen from New York city. The pruning and remodelling processes have played prominent parts, and the bill may now pass as a good and wise measure.

Judge French, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, who, in company with other Government officials, left here for a tour of the Southern States shortly before Christmas, has returned here and resumed his official duties. From his personal observations in several manufacturies, Judge French says he is convinced that sugar cannot be colored in the course of its manufacture, and that consequently the discoloration is effected thereafter. There are several important cases now pending involving attempts to defraud the Government of the revenue on high grade of sugar by discoloring it and classing it as low grade. It is considered that the recent investigation will prove of great advantage in the trial of these cases. PHIL.

The reinstatement of Osman Pasha in the Turkish war office is a straw which shows that the wind is blowing in the direction of war. Osman is a better soldier than courtier, and since the conclusion of the hostilities with Russia, he has been most of the time in disgrace. that he should be taken back into favor at this time may be taken as a sign that the Sultan expects to need his services.

MATTHEW JONES who died in the Poor House of Berks county, left a will which showed him to be worth nearly $6,000, and yet he had been four years in the Alms house. A bill will be presented to the executor for board for four years at two dollars per week.

BRADSTREET'S estimate of the extent of the present cotton crop makes a very gratifying showing. The acreage under cotton cultivation it places at 16,500,000 acres, an increase of ten per cent. over that of last year. The weather has been generally favorable for cotton, though in Texas and the Mississippi Valley the labor supply was in picking time inadequate. The indications point to a crop of about 5,900,000 bales, as against 5,761,252 bales last year. The area of cotton culture is shown to be capable of great extension. Kentucky, Maryland and Delaware are the only former slave States which are not adapted to cotton raising. Indian Territory comprises good cotton lands, and it is already cultivated to some extent by the Indians. In Arkansas and Texas there is abundance of good lands still uncultivated. New Mexico has good cotton lands, as has also Southern California. *Bradstreet's* thinks, therefore, that we will continue able to furnish cotton for the whole world.

Cooking In Court.

The proceedings at the Brighton county court, in England, were diversified one day by an unusual incident namely, the cooking of some potatoes in court by direction of the judge. A wholesale potato merchant was sued for the recovery of money which he had been paid for potatoes which were alleged to be of a different kind from those ordered. The judge, after examining some of both samples as well as of the potatoes supplied, felt that in order to enable him to give a correct judgment in the matter it would be necessary to cook specimens of each. This was accordingly done, while other cases were being heard. The cooked potatoes were then produced in court and eaten, the result being that the judge was satisfied as to the quality of the condemned potatoes, but not so satisfied as to the skill of the plaintiff in the art of cooking. The verdict was according given for the defendant.

A CORSET STORY.—A man always gets into a scrape when he pokes around among his wife's things without permission. Mr. Durrie, of Jersey City, had been annoyed by having his wife sell his old clothes to peddlers, and thought one day; when a peddler called in her absence that he would reciprocate; so he traded a lot of her old garments off for tinware and plaster images, and among other things a pair of half-worn corsets. He rubbed his hands in silent enjoyment over the joke. But when his wife returned and was informed of the transaction, she rushed up stairs to see what was gone, and, not finding the corset exclaimed:

"John Henry you didn't sell them corsets?"

"Oh, yes!" he replied. I found a disreputable old pair and let them go."

The wife burst into tears, and, between sobs, exclaimed that, in order to hide from burglars the $1,100 he had entrusted to her for safe keeping she had sewed the money up in these corsets. John Henry is an humbler man than he was, and can't find the rag peddler.

A family in Batavia, N. Y., has been terribly afflicted with diptheria. On Wednesday a daughter 5 years old died. On Saturday following a son 8 years old died. On the next day (Sabbath) a daughter 22 years old died. And the following Wednesday two sons aged respectively 13 and 15 years old were also taken. Thus, in one week 5 were called away from one household.

OIL was recently struck in Green county, and the theory was advanced that the Butler county belt extended into Green county, beneath the intervening counties, and sagacious experts claim to have traced its course. Speculators have leased several farms in Wilkins and Penn townships, and intend to put down test wells.

In South Easton Philip Garis, aged 35 years, an employe of the Glendon company, died of lockjaw, which was caused by a frozen toe. He died in great agony. This is the only case of lockjaw resulting from a frozen foot known in Northampton county.

Adam Forepaugh, whose testimony must be deemed conclusive unless ample rebutting evidence is offered, says that Boston is the best circus city in the country. Boston is yet to be heard in her own defence.

State News.

The fall of snow in Lancaster county this winter has reached nineteen inches.

Robert Crane has been elected president of the Delaware and Lancaster railroad.

In a few weeks Lancaster's tobacco crop will be ready for the inspection of buyers.

Mrs. Aleo, aged 105 years, died at Tylersville, Clarion county, on Friday of last week.

Saturday last was the twenty-first anniversary of the sinking of the first oil well in this state.

Schuylkill county papers state that the fire in Keely Run colliery at Shenandoah will soon be extinguished.

"Aunt Nancy Scott," a colored woman, aged 100 years, died a few days ago in Wolfstown, Frankln county.

Wilmington parties are negotiating for the purchase of the Howell cotton mill, on Martin's creek, Northamton county.

It is reported that the Glamorgan Iron Company of Lewistown have purchased about 75 acres of ore land near Williamsburg for $33,000.

Harry Hunsicker, aged 14 years, of Mainland, Montgomery county, was caught in the shafting of a mill in that place on Monday and almost instantly killed.

A lump of frozen earth weighing three hundred pounds, fell from a bridge in Lancaster on the head of Henry Short on Monday inflicting serious injuries.

The Pittsburgh chamber of commerce has adopted a resolution favoring a national bankrupt act, and recommending as a basis that prepared by Hon. John Lowell.

Mrs. David Pugh, an old respected citizen of the South Side, Pittsburgh, was found dead in her bed on Saturday morning. The cause of death is supposed to be appoplexy.

A rascal representing himself as a conductor lifted a lot of tickets on the Erie express shortly after it left Pittsburgh and escaped while the real conductor was in another car.

A scandal has been whispered in connection with the Pittsburgh poorhouse, involving the name of the superintendent and one of the female employees. The charge is to be investigated.

Thomas H. Wilson, Superintendent of the Pittsburgh, Titusvile and Buffalo Railroad, has been appointed by Governor Hoyt a Commissioner to the Worl's Fair to be held in New York in 1883.

A charter has just been granted to a number of prominent citizens of Reading and Berks County to be known as the Golden Rule Mutual Aid Society. No one will be allowed to take more than a $15,000 risk.

The works of the Chester oil refining company, located at Thurlow, near Chester, end covering sixty-five acres of ground, will soon be completed. They will have a capacity of 2,000 barrels a day

Ex-Sheriff Funk of Altoona is building the largest lime-kiln in the State, if not in the world. It will be forty six feet high and thirteen feet in diameter. It will take $1,000 worth of fire-brick to line the inside of the kiln.

John R. Stratton, vice president and director of the first national bank of Clarion, died at Strattonville, in that county, on Saturday. He was posessed of a large fortune, and was well known in the western portion of the state.

A covetous little girl in Titusville, Pa., took a litter of puppies which she prized highly to a next-door neighbor and wished to exchange them for a newly-arrived baby. She was greatly disappointed when her offer was politely but firmly declined.

According to the report of the secretaries of the different Fire Companies there are over three thousand persons connected with the Reading Volunteer Fire Department, as follows: Active firemen, 1,981; honorary members, 940; contributing members, 339; total, 3,260.

A widow in Erie thought a bed quilt had been stolen from her clothes line and reported its loss to the police. It has been returned to her. One of the neighbors took it, as she thought it needed washing. That accomplished, she sent it back. Kind neighbor, that.

A sand famine is said to be impending among the window-glass and bottle factories of Pittsburgh. They consume about one hundred and fifty tons of sand per day, and the cold weather has frozen up all the banks so that it cannot be had, and there is a very small amount on hand.

Mr. William Gillmore of Blossburg, Pa., had been passing the holidays with his sons in Arnot and a few days ago they accompanied him to the depot on his way home. As they helped him into the car he exclaimed, "Oh! I am so tired," and fell dead. He was 74 years old.

Poetry.

The Book of the New Year.

The Book of the New Year is opened,
Its pages are spotless and new;
And so, as each leaflet is turning,
Dear children, beware what you do!

Let never a bad thought be cherished,
Keep the tongue from a whisper of guile,
And see that your faces are windows
Through which a sweet spirit shall smile.

And weave for your souls the fair garment
Of honor, and beauty, and truth;
Which will still with a glory enfold you
When faded the spell of your youth.

And now, with the new book, endeavor
To write its white pages with care;
Each day is a leaflet, remember,
To be written with watching and prayer.

And if on a page you discover
At evening a blot or a scrawl,
Kneel quickly, and ask the dear Savior
In mercy to cover it all.

So, when the strange book shall be finished,
And clasped by the angel in light,
You may feel, though the work be imperfect,
You have tried to please God in the right.

And think how the years are a stairway;
On which you must climb to the skies;
And strive that your standing be higher
As each one away from you flies.

Opportunity.

BY SUSAN COOLIDGE.

But yesterday, but yesterday,
She stood beside our dusty way,
Outreaching for a moment's space
The key to fortune's hiding place.

With wistful meanings in her eyes,
Her radiance veiled in dull disguise,
A moment paused, then turned and fled,
Bearing her message still unsaid.

And we? Our eyes were on the dust;
Still faring on as fare all must
In the hot glare of mid-day sun
Until the weary way be done.

So, fast and far she sped and flew
Into the depths of ether blue;
And we, too late, make bitter cry,
"Come back, dear Opportunity!"

In vain, the fleet, unpausing wings
Stay not in their bright journeyings;
And sadly sweet as funeral bell
The answer drops, "Farewell! Farewell!"

Our Story Teller.

Rather Too Outspoken.

"Now, Leslie, you must be sure and come around to-morrow evening, for I want to present you to my old school friend, Ethel Gleen," said Mrs. Fanny Alvord, to her brother, Leslie Wingate. "She is so accomplished and so lovely, no one can help liking her."

"Blonde or brunette?" laconically inquired Leslie.

"Blonde, of course — golden-haired, blue-eyed, a queenly form, sings like an angel, and speaks several languages fluently."

Leslie shrugged his shapely shoulders depreciatingly, and said perhaps he'd come—could not promise positively, though; a girl of that sort was likely to prove rather tiresome to a man of his vivacious temperament, and he hardly thought it possible for him to ever really like so superlatively learned and beautiful a person as Miss Ethel Glenn was said to be.

And with this somewhat equivocal reply, Mr. Leslie Wingate took leave of his sister, and set out for a stroll down town.

But he had scarcely gone half a square before he met an artist friend, Owen Southard, who invited him to his studio to see a picture which he had just finished.

Leslie complied, and they entered a passing street car together. The sole passenger besides them was a tall, fine-looking lady, who sat in a corner furthest from the door, and appeared to take not the slightest notice of their entrance.

She was strikingly fair, with sea-blue eyes, and hair more flaxen than golden which she wore in profusion of carelessly-arranged curls and crimps.

Leslie turned to his companion, and said, in indifferent French:

"Handsome and stylish; but bleached hair to a certainty."

"It is wonderful what art can do in these times," laughed Owen. "But how the deuce is it done? That peculiar pale-amber tint is not easy to paint, I assure you, however, it be in regard to the more common place process of bleaching."

"Oh, that's a secret, known only to a favored few," rejoined Leslie; "and I, for one, never hope to fathom the mysteries that go toward making up the outward attractions of what is called a beautiful woman."

"Nor do I," replied Owen, "for it's a subject, I am free to confess, quite beyond my humble ability to solve."

The lady continued to gaze out of the window in a dreamy, preoccupied manner, as if no wise conscious that she was the object of their critical remarks, or was at all conversant with the French language.

Presently she arose to leave the car, Mr. Wingate's cane, held loosely in his hand, rather hindered her exite, and he hastened to apologize for his thoughtlessness.

"I beg your pardon, madam."

"*Il n'g a pas de monsieur*," she sweetly replied, in the purest Parisian French.

Wingate's face grew crimson, and Owen looked as if he wished the earth might open and swallow them up, right then and there.

"A thousand pardons!" stammered both, in a breath. "It was very stupid and thoughtless of us."

"*N'importe!*" she smiled. "One meets stupid people everywhere!" and with this final and unanswerable rejoinder, uttered in a tone of the utmost sweetness, the lady alighted, and the car went on.

"What a precious pair of idiots she must think us!" gasped Leslie. "Her French was faultless, and what a countenance she kept while we were criticising her hair and eyes in such a beastly, ill-bred manner!"

"A confoundedly unpleasant *contretempts!*" vexatiously admitted Owen; "and it is to be earnestly hoped that we may never see her again."

"Oh, we are not likely to do that, for lightning, they say, never strikes in the same place; but it will be some time, I give you my word for it, before I again venture to air my opinion of women and their charms—borrowed or otherwise—in so public a conveyance as a street car."

The following evening, notwithstanding the half-hearted promise to do so, Leslie went to see his sister, with the determined resolve underlying his well-assumed indifference of making himself as agreeable as he possibly could to her friend, Miss Glenn.

"Oh, I am so glad you came!" cried Mrs. Fanny, running to meet him. "Ethel is here, and I want you to behave your very best, for I have been telling her what a good and handsome fellow you are, and I do not wish her to think that I have knowingly over estimated your enviable qualities."

"No fear of that, conceitedly assured Leslie, "for when I choose to be agreeable you know I can be, though your friend be the most exacting of—"

"Sh!" cautioned Mrs. Alvord, unceremoniously cutting short the gentleman's self laudatory remarks. "She is coming. Miss Glenn, let me present you to my brother, Leslie Wingate."

A lady, in a dress of pale-blue silk, and with amber-tinted hair and large, inteligent eyes, as blue as meadow violet, swept through the open doorway.

Leslie's expressive countenance, from a self-satisfied flush of pleasure, grew as red as a boiled lobster, and he looked confusedly at the floor, unable to speak a word. The lady smiled demurely.

"I am very glad to make the acquaintance of Mr. Wingate, although I had not thought to so soon meet the gentleman who was so good as to publicly point out the consummate art with which I presume to counterfeit nature."

"For heaven's sake, be merciful!" exclaimed Leslie' "I could shoot myself for ever having the audacity to speak as I did, though it were in French."

"And such atrociously bad French as it was, too!" pitcously reminded Miss Glenn, with just the faintest shadow of contempt perceptible in her voice.

Mrs. Alvord looked her amazement. "Why, what in the world are you two people about, I'd like to know, for I can make nothing out of it?' she asked, in great bewilderment.

"Perhaps not; but I think your brother can, said Ethel, with a half laughing glance over her shoulder, as she turned to leave the room.

As soon as she was out of hearing, Leslie ruefully explained "the deuced awkwarn scrape" he had gotten himself into by speaking out at a time when common sense should have warned him that the better part of wisdom was to remain silent.

"Oh, was there ever anything so vexing?" bewailed Mrs. Alvord, when she came to fully comprehend the situation. "I had set my heart on your liking each other, and now my plans are spoiled. Ethel is worth a quarter of a million, and is so good, and amiable, and beautiful, besides being so rich and you, with your horrid French, to ruin everything, and she the best linguist in the city! "Oh, it is too bad—upon my word it is!"

"It is, indeed," glumly acknowledged Leslie. "I don't blame Miss Glenn for despising me, or writing me down, as she certainly must have done, an egregious prig."

"And served you right, too! Bleached hair, indeed! Who would think you capable of uttering such a slander, under any circumstances, much less to a lady's very face, and that lady Ethel Glenn!" sharply rejoined the justly angry Mrs. Fanny. "She will never forgive you, Leslie—never!"

Leslie, however, being a handsome, engaged, good-tempered young fellow—in his own opinion, at any rate—did not despair of ultimately establishing himself in the good graces of the heiress, and laid seige to her affections with so much energy and determination that his efforts migh have resulted in success had it not been for that unfortunate conversation of his with Owen Southard the day he first saw her in the street car.

Ethel did not again allude to the unpleasant subject, and Mrs. Alvord, as well as her brother, hoped she had forgotten, all about it, or remembered it only as a mere thoughless bit of harmless pleasantry; but when Leslie offered her his heart, hand and fortune, she gently but firmly declined the honor.

His fortune did not amount to much. Mr. Wingate was well aware of his shortcomings in that respect, but there was no end of his love and devotion, and he felt quite sure that nowhere on the earth could Ethel find a better husband than himself, if she would but accept of his name and the superior inducement therewith tendered toward insuring both his own and her happiness.

But Ethel was not to be persuaded by any of Leslie's pretty speeches, "Because," as she afterward told a friend, "I want my husband at all times and places to be a gentleman, and that, I knew, Leslie Wingate was not."

Poison Rings.

Poison rings still exist in many antiquarian collections. They are generally of two kinds, one intended as an engine of destruction to its wearer, the other simply as a convenient hiding-place for poison. Soeis-years ago a ring of the former dof cription was purchased at a sale m curiosities. Its device was two sharp-pointed claws holding a stone. The purchaser, slipping it on his finger, received a slight scratch from these claws, the points of which bent inward. His hand and arm very shortly became swelled and painful; a doctor was sent for, who pronounced the slight scratch poisoned. Examination of the ring showed that the claws were hollow, and that a poisonous matter had been contained in them; doutless when first made, the ring would have caused death, instead of merely inconvenience, to its wearer.

Rings intended to contain poison are frequentl mentioned in ancient history; it was common to carry one as a convenient means of suicide. By such a ring Demosthenes probably destroyed himself, and some historians say Hannibal likewise. M. Crassus, the overseer of the Temple of the Capitoline Jupiter, being arrested on a charge of purloining some gold deposited there, broke a hollow receptcle of his ring with his teeth, and fell dead on the spot. The Emperor Heliogabalus is said to have had a collection of these poison rings among his jewels.

BAKED INDIAN PUDDING.—Four eggs, one quart sweet milk, five large teaspoons Indian meal, nutmeg and sugar to taste; boil the milk, pour it over the meal, cover, and let cool before adding the eggs; bake three-quarters of an hour.

Pretty little breakfast sacques are simply made of white or colored cashmere, trimmed with white silk cord and edge with plaited frills of Vermicelli lace. They are called the imperatrice jacket.

Fancy jewelry is still the rage, among other articles, a huge clasps in shape precisely like the great brass belt clasp for dresses; but these clasp are made of diamonds and used in the guise of a brooch.

Surah silk petticoats of white embroidered with white silk floss of pretty designs, are fashionable for evening dresses. Skirts for day wear are of finest French wool of all colors.

More red or maroon velvet dresses are worn this winter than have been seen in years. A profusion of black Spanish lace is usually the perferred trimming for them.

A new addition to a house or evening dress is a heavy capuchin cord worn around the waist, either of gold, silver or of a color to match the rest of the toilet.

Some ladies are wearing the Lapland fur bonnet in the old cabriolet shape, which are so becoming to all faces. They are delightful to wear when sleighing.

Plain colored plushes are used for basques to be with skirts of different color in velvet, satin or silk.

Local Small Talk.

—These are fine nights for sleighriding.

—Warm and pleasant yesterday 'round the edges.

—Washington's Birthday is the next legal holiday on the list.

—This weather is about as old-fashioned as they make 'em.

—Track hands put in about a half day yesterday laying new rails about the depot.

—The name of Wm. Kurtz appears at the head of the Centre *Reporter* as associate editor.

—Several fine strings of suckers have been taken from the race during the past week.

—The sidewalks on Allegheny St., in some localities, are used as a skating rink by the boys.

—Where are the men who have turned over a new leaf? Hope it won't fly back on them.

—Our pavements are again in a slippery, uncertain condition, and somersaults are numerous.

—Altoona has a social club named the "Silver Greys," the ages of whose members aggregate 4,000 years.

—Merchants might as well try to strike a light on a block of ice as to do business without advertising.

—The cholera is destroying hogs in Bradford county. The knife has destroyed a good many in Centre.

—Several sleighing parties left here last night for various points, Unionville and and Centre Hall among others.

—The ever-welcome sound to the employees of the B. E. V. railroad pay car was heard at the depot Tuesday.

—The new church organ recently placed in the Lutheran church near Penn Hall, was dedicated on Sunday last with appropriate ceremonies.

—According to the report of the State Treasurer the sum of $9,978.85 was appropriated to the public schools of Centre county during the year that has just closed.

—Jack Frost's pencil traced some very handsome pictures on our sanctum windows last night, one in particular, representing a volcano in a state of eruption.

—Livery men are enjoying a bonanza at present, which gives evidence of lasting for some time to come. They are the only class of men who are making anything now-a-days.

—A couple of Bellefonte school marms were seen to embark on the mail train east yesterday morning. Nothing remarkable about that, though. There's no law to prevent it, either.

—It is reported that a number of calves and hogs froze to death in Pennsvalley during the late cold weather. Farmers should not neglect their stock in cold whether—it don't pay.

—Our Jew population was considerably thinned out yesterday by the departure of ten or fifteen for Lock Haven to attend a grand ball, given by a prominent Hebrew citizen of that city.

—Some fellows who loaf about the streets of Bellefonte when the weather permits are of no more use to the community than a frozen water plug nor half as much, for the latter can always be found.

—It's about time to be looking up suitable persons for borough officers for the present year. We know of several gentlemen who would like to drop into James Harris' shoes for borough treasurer.

—There will be a meeting of the Centre county Pomona Grange at Centre Hall, on Tuesday next, Jan. 18th. Three sessions will be held—10 a. m., 1½ and 7 p. m. By order of Leonard Rhone, W. M.

—A citizen, whose name we didn't learn, slipped on High stree last night and raised a lump on the roof of his proboscis about the size of a walnut. Sidewalks will do those things once in a while.

—Mr. John I. Gordon has disposed of an interest in his paper, the Mercer *Dispatch*, to D. L. Barton and Henry Hall, of that place. The change was made necessary owing to the ill health of Mr. Gordon, who retires for the present.

—The Harrisburg correspondent of the Pittsburgh *Commercial-Gazette* thinks that Auditor-General Schell is training for the next Gubernatorial race, and that his competitor will most likely be General James A. Beaver, of this place. Quite likely.

—The Central Pennsylvania M. E. Conference will hold its annual session at York, commencing on Wednesday, March 16, next, one week earlier than the time recently announced. The change was made by the Bishop, at the urgent request of the ministers in the conference.

—Farmers who come to town for the day and do not care to put up at a hotel, will find John Anderson's a convenient place to obtain a lunch or meal. John keeps everything neat and tidy, and will get you up a first-class stew in less than no time.

—The Allentown *City Item* speaks of the Easton police force in the following ironical manner: "The police department at Easton has adopted new rules. The police have been ordered to wash and comb themselves, appear in their uniforms, and be an honor to the town."

—The Bellefonte Normal Class, we are informed, held an enthusiastic meeting in the Y. M. C. A. rooms on Monday evening. This is mentioned as one of the good results of the recent County Sunday-School Convention. All persons interested in the study of the Bible are welcome to attend the meetings of the Normal Class.

—A Pottsville boy, ten years of age, tried coasting down the hilly streets of that place on the "belly bumper" style. He collided with a lamp post with such force that the blood gushed from his mouth and nose, and he now lies in a critical condition. Bellefonte boys who follow the same practice should take warning.

—In our notice of the meeting of the Bellefonte B. & L. Association, in our issue of Tuesday last, we stated that a resolution was passed authorizing the directors to suspend payment of fines and dues for the present. Lest a wrong impression be conveyed to the members of the Association, we would add that this measure will not be enforced *until after* the present month.

—Here's an item of news for the saloon keepers of Bellefonte to ponder over: The general term of the common pleas court, in New York, has rendered a decision sustaining the doctrine that a restaurant keeper who carries on business under a license as an innkeeper, is liable to pay his guests for the loss of their overcoats when stolen off the pegs in his place.

—"Do surprise parties surprise?" asks the Reading *Times*. Yes, frequently. When a party swoops down on a man about bedtime, with a horse-fiddls and horns, and proceeds to smash up the parlor furniture and run things to suit themselves, the victim is often surprised at the amount of impudence displayed by the crowd. We have heard of families being so badly surprised that they didn't get over it for months.

—What's wrong at Boiling Springs? Officer Montgomery walked out that way for his health the other morning and just when he arrived in sight of Mann's axe works half a dozen men climbed out of the back entrance and fled over the hill in their shirt sleeves and some minus their hats. Now Chief Montgomery isn't such a terrible looking specimen of humanity as to cause men to flee before him in that manner, which leads us to infer that some of the 'boys" out there have departed from the path of "rectitude."

—At a meeting of the Centre County Mutual Insurance Co., on Saturday last, at Centre Hall, the following officers were elected for the present year: President, Henry Keller; Vice President, Samuel I. Herring; Secretary, D. F. Luse; Treasurer, William Wolf; Board of Directors, H. C. Campbell, John W. Crumrine, Joseph Baker, Frederick Kurtz, H. G. Royer, J. H. Musser, J. B. Fisher, Henry Keller, Henry E. Duck, John Rishel, Samuel I. Herring, Samuel Gramley. The township agents of the company were re-elected for the present year.

Watch for Him.

The Lancaster *Intelligencer* sends out a timely warning to dealers in tobacco and segars to keep an eye open for a man who, under several alias, conspicuously those of "Sellser" and "Goodman," is on his travels buying up stocks, presumably for an extensive establishment in New York. His mode of operations appears to be to run up a bill, somewhere in the neighborhood of one or two thousand dollars, give a draft for the same in round numbers, the draft being slightly in advance of the bill, and requesting the difference to be paid him in ready money. In Lancaster he purchased a lot of leaf tobacco of a firm, the bill amounting to $1,946. He made a draft for $2,000, and suggested that the odd $54 be handed to him. The dealer was willing to comply, but suggested that Mr. Sellser's firm be notified by telegram of the transaction. It was Saturday night and late. The telegram was sent, and Sellser was wined, dined and taken to see the "Child of the State," which was played in Lancaster that night. Mr. S. skipped the next day, and on Monday it was discovered that he was a fraud. The goods not having been shipped, the Lancaster man did not prosecute the rascal.

Temperance Movement at Eagleville.

The Beech Creek and Eagleville Christian Temperance Union met at the Church of Christ, at Eagleville, on last Saturday evening, for the purpose of taking into consideration what, if anything, could be done towards preventing the sale of liquors in our midst. Stirring speeches were made by Revs. Ridge, Blair and Faus, portraying in a forcible manner to what an alarming extent drunkenness, blood shed and crime had increased during the last year, and that all disturbances, rioting, bloodshed and murders were committed by persons while in a state of intoxication.

Other speeches were made by citizens lamenting to what a fearful extent drunkenness had increased, and the results, if the sale of liquor should be continued another year. The remedy seemed to be to make the facts known to the courts, and to ask that body to regard the prayers of the good citizens of this place.

To that effect it was resolved to make the facts known to the next court of Centre county by petition signed by the citizens of Liberty township, representing the sad state of the public morals, and humbly and prayerfully ask the court for relief.

It was also unanimously resolved that the proceedings of the meeting be sent for publication to the Bellefonte *Watchman*, REPUBLICAN and NEWS, with a request to publish the same.

M. S. BLAIR,
JOHN MCGLUE,
I. D. ENGLES,
} Ex. Com.

Eagleville, Jan. 10, 1881.

State Finances.

We are indebted to State Treasurer Butler for a copy of the annual report of the State finances for the fiscal year ending November 30, 1880. A few extracts will be of interest to our readers. The report shows a deficiency, at the close of the year, of $1,243,000. There was, however, at that date the sum of $200,000 retained in the general fund, expressly to pay off outstanding school warrants of the year 1880, leaving the actual deficiency about $1,000,000

With the present revenue laws, and the expense incident to the session of the Legislature, it is doubtful if any reduction can be made in this deficit during the present fiscal year. The decrease in the revenue of the State, caused by a reduction of the tax on coal companies, under the provisions of the act of 1879, will amount to nearly $500,000. One-half of the tax on capital stock, heretofore diverted from the sinking fund, will be an additional $700,000. These losses to the general fund, together with the cost of about $600,000 for the present session, will leave, in the aggregate, the sum of $1,800,000 less to meet the current expenses of the State in the present year than in that of the past. But with economy the present revenue may be made sufficient to meet the ordinary expenses of the government. In summing up the Treasurer says, and his words are entitled to thoughtful consideration, that a reduction of expenses, or an increase of revenue, are the only alternatives, if the Commonwealth is to be saved the disgrace of a bankrupt treasury and dishonored warrants.

B. E. V. Railroad Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bald Eagle Valley Railroad Company, was held in Lock Haven on Monday. By a vote of the stockholders the number of directors was increased from six to ten. The following officers were elected for the present year: President, L. A. Mackey; Directors, Thomas A. Scott, A. G. Curtin, John Irwin, Jr., James Gamble, C. A. Mayer, George B. Roberts, John P. Green, James Duffy, J. N. DuBarry, Strichland Kneass. Edmund Blanchard, Esq., of this place, was re-elected secretary and treasurer.

Girl Lost.

Florence McDowell, daughter of Mrs. James Hesketh, disappeared suddenly from her mother's residence in Osceola, last Thursday evening, and has not been heard of since. The last the family saw of her was about the time of the arrival of the express train from Tyrone. The stepfather, Mr. James Hesketh, has been fond of the girl, and the mother has been kind and indulgent, so that no cause can be assigned for her voluntary absence. The mother is in great distress, and any information that may lead to her whereabouts will be kindly received.

—The express west yesterday morning, due here at 6:46, was wrecked a short distance this side of Howard, causing a delay of over two hours. The cause of the accident was a broken rail, something, we are told, which is liable to occur at any time during extreme cold weather. The front truck of the passenger coach and the hind truck of the accommodation car left the track, but the engine remained on the rails. No one was injured.

Professional Cards.

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J. G. LOVE, Attorney-at-Law, Bellefonte, Pa.
Office in rooms formerly occupied by the late W. P. Wilson. ja4'71-tf

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office in his new building, north side and opposite the Court House. 8 1-tf

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v6 1-1y High Street, Bellefonte, Pa.

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C. T. ALEXANDER.....C. M. BOWERS.
ALEXANDER & BOWERS, Attorneys-at-Law,
Bellefonte, Pa. Offices in Garman's building, opposite Court House. 6-1—9-32

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Physicians and Dentists.

G. M. SWARTZ, Dentist, located at Bellefonte, Pa. Office in the Myers property, on Bishop street, opposite Graham's Shoe Store. 8-23

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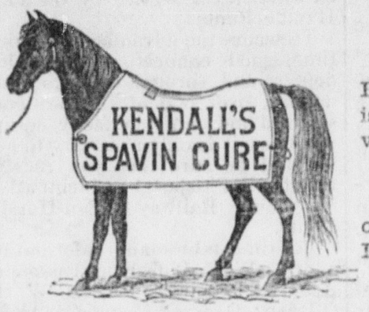

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From Col. L. T. Foster.

Youngstown, Ohio, May 10th, 1880.
DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co.: Gents: I had a very valuable Hambletonian colt which I prized very highly; he had a large bone spavin on one joint and a smaller one on the other, which made him very lame. I had him under the charge of two veterinary surgeons, which failed to cure him. I was one day reading the advertisement of Kendall's Spavin Cure in the Chicago *Express;* I determined at once to try it, and got our druggists here to send for it. They ordered three bottles. I took them all and thought I would give it a thorough trial. I used it according to the directions and by the fourth day the colt ceased to be lame, and the lumps had entirely disappeared. I used but one bottle, and the colt's limbs are as free from lumps and as smooth as any horse in the state. He is entirely cured. The cure was so remarkable that I let two of my neighbors have the remaining two bottles, who are now using it.
Very respectfully, L. T. FOSTER.

From Rev. P. N. Granger,

Presiding Elder of the St. Albans District.
St. Albans, Vt., Jan. 20th, 1880.
DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co.: GENTS. In reply to your letter I will say that my experience with Kendall's Spavin Cure has been very satisfactory indeed. Three or four years ago I procured a bottle of your agent, and with it, cured a horse of Lameness caused by spavin. Last season my horse became very lame and I turned him out for a few weeks, when he became better, but when I put him on the road he grew worse, when I discovered that a ringbone was forming. I procured a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and with less than a bottle cured him so that he is not lame, neither can the bunch be found.
Respectfully yours, P. N. GRANGER.

PERSEVERANCE WILL TELL.

Stoughton, Mass., March 10th, 1880.
B. J. KENDALL & Co.: GENTS: In justice to you and myself, I think I ought to let you know that I have removed two bone spavins with Kendall's Spavin cure, one very large one. Don't know now long the spavin had been there. I have owned the horse eight months. It took me four months to take the large one off, and two months for the small one. I have used ten bottles. The horse is entirely well, no at all stiff, and no bunch to be seen or felt. This is a wonderful medicine. It is a new thing here, but if it does for all what it has done for me its sale will be very great.
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Enosburg Falls, Vt., Feb. 25th, 1879.
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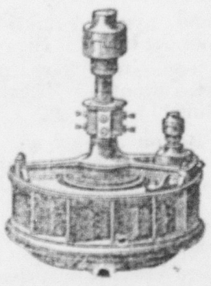

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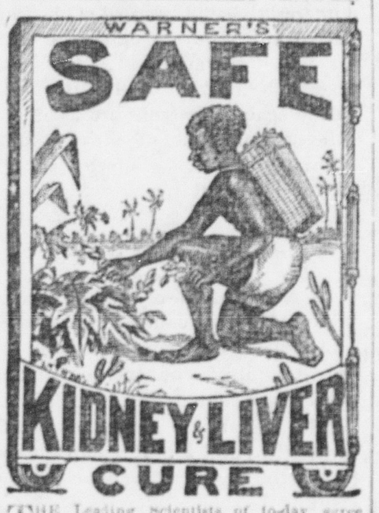

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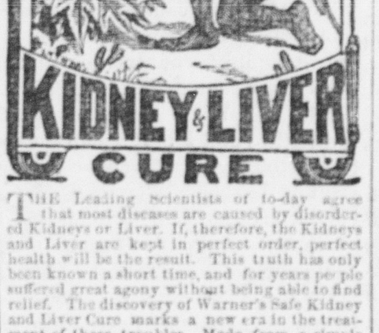

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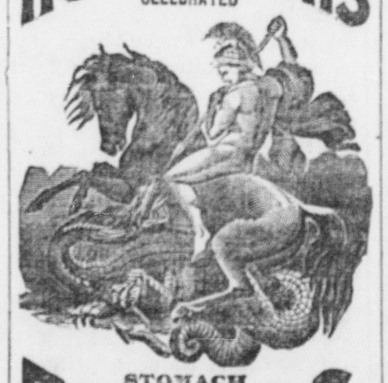

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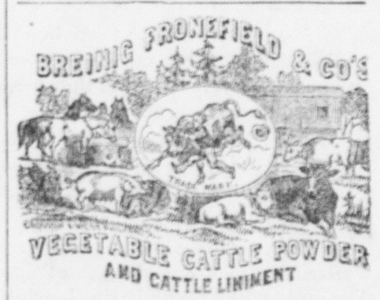

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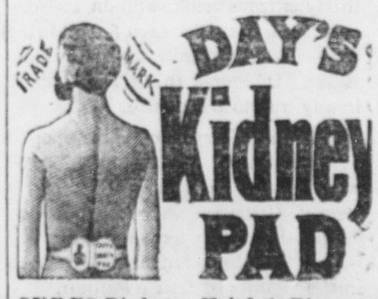

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—The revival at Milesburg continues with unabated interest.

—Pennsylvania has more postoffices than any State in the Union.

—Six bangles on each arm is the latest. One cow-hide slipper in the hand of the old lady should supercede it.

—D. C. Keller, of Centre Hall, has returned from a visit to Illinois. The *Reporter* says he found all the Centre countians flourishing.

—The Normal School at Lock Haven is reported in a very flourishing condition, with a much larger attendance than at any time previous.

—Strangers coming to town by rail think Bellefonte is a monstrous place from the number of people they meet at the depot. It would seem so.

—A large amount of grain is being brought to town this week by the farmers, the roads being in excellent condition for heavy hauling.

—The weighing of all mails received and despatched by the Pennsylvania railroad will begin January 30th, and continue seventy days.

—The consolidation of the Western and American Union telegraph lines makes it reasonably sure that the latter's wire will never reach Bellefonte.

—Be careful with your fires. Terrible fires, the result in many cases of carelessness, are reported in all quarters. A little care may save you from a serious conflagration.

—A match doesn't amount to much unless you have something to light. Step in and purchase some of Harry Green's cigars, and then you will have something worth lighting.

—It is estimated that it will require $10,000 to put the car shops in proper condition for running. The flooring will have to be relaid, and some portions of the buildings rebuilt.

—The Mayor of Wilkesbarre called thirty citizens before him on Tuesday and fined them $2 each for allowing the snow to remain on their sidewalks. Of course this doesn't apply in any way to Bellefonte.

—The Pittsburgh dog show opened Friday. There are about $250,000 worth of dog meat on exhibition. If George Gross concludes to take his "pups" down the above figures will be increased to an amount somewhere in the vicinity of half a million.

—The Mt. Union *Times* contains this mean fling: "Some women are like shotguns. They would attract no attention if it wasn't for their bangs." We wouldn't advise the *Times* man to go out on the street much after dark for a month.

—Musical conventions are announced to take place, during the next two or three weeks, in about every town in the county of any importance. Boalsburg's convention begins on the 24th and closes the Friday following with a concert.

—After three or four days of steady digging with pick axes and shovels the leak in the water pipes before the public school building has been discovered. The leak is not a small one and the repairing of the pipe will make a great saving in the water supply.

—Oliver may win, or Grow may win, but there are hundreds of men who patronize Sechler's grocery who don't care a fig which man wins. The fact that they are able to buy pure, fresh goods at this establishment in great abundance keeps them in such a happy frame of mind that they don't care to bother with politics.

—It is not yet quite clear who has the best of the Senatorial race, but in the matter of selling cigars it is a well known fact that Harry Green has long been in the lead, and as long as he keeps up his excellent stock no one will be able to overtake him.

—Court begins next week. Those in the country districts who contemplate attending should not neglect to bring a lot of boxes and barrels with them to fill with groceries from the famous establishment of Sechler & Co. No one should be without a supply.

—Having got the pulp works fairly under way, the Lock Haven *Journal* is endeavoring to induce the monied men of that place to invest some of their spare change in starting a boot and shoe manufactory. When a boom has been started it's a good thing to keep it a booming.

—It doesn't require much to start a rumor in Bellefonte. Thursday some parties noticed a quantity of chaff and bits of wood floating down the race, and inside of an hour a report was circulated that the car works were being swept out and put to rights preparatory to putting in machinery for manufacturing cars.

—Nadawezin, a German cavalry soldier, having deserted from his corps some months ago (go to Sechler & Co.'s for unadulterated groceries), was recently found in the village where his family lived, and a subordinate officer, accompanied by a private, was sent to take him into custody. The two returned in due time (Sechler & Co. beat the world for pure groceries), and brought their man, only it was a horribly mutilated corpse (Sechler & Co. don't keep anything dead on their hands. Everything pure and fresh.) they had in charge instead of a stalwart living soldier. The story they told was that they had tied their prisoner to one of their saddles, and compelled him to walk alongside. On the way he had taken hole of his keeper's boot (delicious canned fruits at Sechler's), either through weariness or to keep up with his captors, and in so doing brought the spurs in contact with the horse's side. The animal reared, threw him down (Sechler's got 'em again), and becoming unmanageable, ran away, dragging him after it. Investigation showed that (Sechler's store doesn't contain a single impure article) both the officer and his companion were drunk at the time. They were sentenced to a short term of imprisonment in a fortress. The occurrence is commented upon as another illustration of (how a firm like Sechler's that sells none but pure, fresh goods is bound to prosper) the humane treatment which makes the young men of Germany so anxious to become soldiers in the German army.

Pine Grove Items.

The idea of a railroad to our village seems now to be given up by our citizens. It is difficult to say what will be done to keep up with the times. It is possible that we will apply to Legislature for a seashore.

Rev. Heck and lady celebrated their crystal wedding on the evening of Dec. 27th, which was a grand success. They were made the happy recipients of many presents—rather too much in the way of glassware for a Methodist minister, because of their frequent moving about.

The week of prayer was observed at Pine Grove Mills. Union meetings were held in the different churches alternately, which were well attended, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather for a few evenings. Much interest was manifested, which on Friday night grew into such enthusiasm, when the subject of intemperance was considered, that it was resolved to hold a union temperance meeting at as early a day as possible for the purpose of awakening an interest on the local option question, now being agitated, and securing signers for that purpose.

Telephone lines have been constructed from Pennsylvania Furnace to the Brizon and Hoozler banks. But as yet they have been of no practical benefit, as the parties having them in charge have been unable to communicate.

Samuel Goss has purchased the postoffice property at Rock Springs, and intends occupying it himself in the spring. Q.

Eagleville Items.

Arrivals—A youngster, of the male persuasion, at the house of Rev. W. A. Ridge. Success to the old reverend and baby.

At the home of H. W. Ridge a pair of pretty twin girls put in an appearance last week. H. W. has been wearing his best clothes ever since.

Mr. Jacob Swartz announces the arrival of twins at his house. He thinks of locating here. It's a lucky place, he says.

The schools are in a healthy condition under the supervision of Prof. Hershberger.

The churches are moving steadily on. A protracted meeting is in progress at the Baptist church, under the direction of their pastor.

On last Sabbath two funerals in one took place at the Baptist church. John Alva Swarts, aged two years, and Norah Rachel Saxon, two years old. Their little white caskets were brought into the church at eleven o'clock. A very large audience had assembled. Rev. Ridge conducted the ceremonies and preached the sermon. It was an unusually solemn scene.

LATROBE.

BELLEFONTE, Jan. 18, 1881.

Has the old grain buyers' combination been revived in Bellefonte? I am informed to-day by a farmer of Potter township that one hundred sled loads of grain were taken into store at Spring Mills on last Thursday, a large number of the sleds belonging to Nittany Valley farmers, who refuse to sell grain to Bellefonte buyers because they grade it down anywhere between *sixty* and *ninety-five* cents per bushel. The same wheat sells for *one dollar* per bushel at Spring Mills. It is not any wonder that farmers who live in the vicinity of Bellefonte prefer to sell at Spring Mills. It is time that the business men of Bellefonte would wake up and look into the situation. If it be true that our grain buyers are not paying full market rates, the other interests should proceed at once and have other buyers enter the field. This was accomplished a few years ago with marked results; it can be done again. Freights are as low to the seaboard cities as they are from Spring Mills. Business men, wake up! Lit us have real live

COMPETITION.

THE LATEST NEWS.

A Washington View of It.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—The Senatorial fight in Pennsylvania is the great topic of conversation among politicians here to-day. The Democrats are praying that the bolters will stick, and the Republicans express the opinion that the only result of the bolt will be the choice of a new man for Senator upon whom both sides can unite. Senator Cameron arrived here to-day, and said that he could not tell who would be the choice of the Legislature for Senator. He did not appear to be greatly worried, however, and his friends insist that no man who is hostile to Mr. Cameron can be elected. They claim that Mr. Cameron has no disposition to dictate candidates to the Legislature, but hopes its choice may fall upon a person who will unite instead of disrupt the Republican party of the State. The Democratic Congressmen from the Keystone State are disposed to regard the fight as presaging the downfall of the old organization, but the majority of members in favor of Mr. Cameron is so large that they confess it is almost hoping against hope to expect such a result.

Colored Men at Mentor.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 15—A colored delegation visited Mentor yesterday and waited upon Gen. Garfield. The delegation was composed of R. B. Elliott, Samuel Lee, and D. A. Straker of South Carolina, Henry E. Curry of Texas, James B. Derveroux of Georgia, Geo. W. Price, Jr., Geo. L. Mabson, James W. Hood, John A. Leary, J. W. Harris, and Steward Ellison of North Carolina. Mr. Elliott, the spokesman, said they had come to present a statement of the condition of the colored men in the South, who are compelled to endure grievous wrongs for mere opinion's sake.

General Garfield responded with a brief address.

A Garfield Church in Washington.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 15.—Mr. Joseph Jr., of this city, says that the movement in favor of a Disciples' church in Washington, in honor of President Garfield, is meeting with remarkable success. He says that, from the encouragement received, it is believed that fully $100,000 will be raised. Letters come in from all parts of the country with money and pledges, and the work is only fairly begun. Agents have been appointed for every State, and they are appointing sub-agents, and it is very evident they will be successful.

The Boy Murderer Sent to the Reform School.

MACHIAS, Me., Jan. 15—Warren Longmore, aged 9 years, who was yesterday found guilty of manslaughter in causing the death of Freeman Wright, 8 years of age, in Pembroke, Me., on Oct. 8, 1880, was this morning sentenced by Judge Libbey to the State Reform School during his minority. Longmore first shot his victim and was discovered in the act of digging his grave. While doing so Wright showed signs of life, when Longmore struck him on the head several times with the spade with which he was at work.

Sport in England.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—In consequence of Daniel O'Leary's acceptance of the challenge of Chas. Rowell, the latter has gone into strict training for another world's championship walking match. Harry Vaughan has also gone into training.

The scullers have latterly been practicing under great disadvantages, caused by extreme cold and fogs. If the weather to-morrow is foul, it is thought it will tell in favor of Laycock, whose rowing weight is 178 pounds. Hanlan's is 151. Laycock will row with a rudder, which will be of much service in the event of a cross wind, but which Hanlan refuses to adopt. Hanlan will use the same boat and sculls he used in the previous race. He will be piloted by Derwitt. Trickett will pilot Laycock, who will row in a new boat built by Jewitt. There has not been much betting thus far, the heaviest recorded being 675 to 300 on Hanlan. The odds are 9 to 4. On account of drift ice the race may be postponed.

A Convict Dashes for Liberty.

SING SING, Jan. 13.—Francis alias "Buck" Walsh, a convict in the State prison, attempted to escape by running across the ice Saturday, and was shot dead by Office Nolan, of the prison guard. Walsh, James Snyder and Patrick Halleck, employed in the shoe shop, broke ranks as the convicts were going from work, and started through the iron gate for the ice on the river. Officer Nolan raised his gun and called to them to hault. Snyder and Halleck returned to prison, but Walsh kept on. When he was about twenty rods away the officer fired; the ball went through Walsh's lungs and he fell dead.

Washington Notes.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Senator Christiancy is seriously ill, and congestion of the brain is threatened. Her physician has prescribed absolute quiet, and no one is therefore allowed to see her except her parents and her brother.

Secretary Evarts now closes his official letters to American representatives abroad with the notification that further correspondence with regard to diplomatic affairs will be conducted by his successor, Mr. Blaine.

The new fire-proof building for a National Museum has been turned over to the Building Committee by the architects. The building will be formally opened to the public March 4, upon the occasion of the inaugural ball.

A telegram was sent to Governor Plaistead, of Maine, by T. H. Murch, J. B. Weaver, Nicholas Ford, Gilbert De La Matyr, E. H. Gillette, A. E. Stevenson, W. M. Lowe and Seth H. Yocum congratulating him on his election and on the harmony that exists in the State.

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This is to certify that, having called on a certain dentist in Pittsburg, Pa., for the purpose of having some teeth extracted, for two hours I submitted to his most determined efforts to take out two teeth, only to have him fail and declare that it was impossible.

At the suggestion of my friends, I went to Dr. G. W. Spencer, of 254 Penn Avenue, who in just three minutes took all my upper teeth (16) without the least pain, I having taken laughing gas.

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Witnesses to the operation, Mrs. C. Walf, Mrs. M. McElroy, A. E. Shriver, Dr. James Devine and Dr. Robert Brady. 1t

To the West and South.

All travelers will appreciate the announcement that the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati & St. Louis Railway Company—Pan-Handle Route—will hereafter run a first-class Passenger coach from Pittsburgh to St. Louis on the Fast Express train leaving Pitsburgh every day at 9.22 a. m. Sleeping cars will continue to run on same train from Pittsburgh to Cincinnati, Louisville, Indianapolis and St. Louis, but the through coach to St. Louis will be a great benefit to persons en route to Indianapolis, Terre Haute, St. Louis and all points West and Southwest, who do not care to pay the extra charge for sleeping car privileges.

Hotel or sleeping cars will continue to run on Cincinnati Express leaving Pittsburgh at 7.32 p. m. for Cincinnati, Louisville, Indianapolis and St. Louis without change.

Passengers for the West and South will please bear in mind the improved through car service by the Pan Handle Route.

To secure the advantage of quick time, good connections in Union depots, and through car accommodations, over one of the best constructed and most perfectly equipped lines, it is only necessary to ask for and be sure that you receive tickets via Pittsburgh, Cincinnati & St. Louis Railway — Pan-Handle Route.

For time tables and information address W. C. Pinearson, Passenger Agent, Pittsburgh, Pa., or W. L. O'Brien, General Passenger Agent Pan-Handle Route, Columbus, Ohio. 12 3 5t

Getting it Out of Him.

They had just the loveliest sleighing in Philadelphia all last week and young Keepitup was out enjoying it all one afternoon. When he drove in to the stable, oh, but the man was mad. He roared when he looked at the horse, and danced around, and as Uncle Remus says, "he cust, he did."

"Look at that hoss," he wailed, look at that hoss! Ain't a dry hair on him, an' he's nigh ready to drop. That's a pretty lookin' way to bring in a hoss. Nice man you are, to let a good hoss to!'

Young Keepitup was fairly astonished, "Man alive," he yelled, picturing his amazement in his voice, "and what did you expect when I hired him. When a horse is costing me an even five dollars an hour he's got to keep moving, you understand. When I'm paying out more than eight cents every minute, I can't afford to let no horse lean up against an ice box while he figures out the oat crop of the United States for 1880.

"I did my level best to keep my whip arm warm, and then I couldn't get more than $4.25 an hour out of him. I didn't hire the horse to him. Now if you had only charged fifteen cents an hour, I would have had your horse fed every thirty minutes while I was out, and I would have rocked him to sleep in my arms, wrapped him up in blankets and laid him in the sleigh and hauled him back to the stable myself. That is the difference you see, Mr. Silkcracker. Here's your money, and I want the same horse, or a better one next Saturday afternoon, if the snow holds on."

And he went away, while Mr. Silkcracker stood looking alternately at the money and the horse, thinking it all over.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

Wit and Wisdom.

Taken on the spot—The measels.

A calico wrapper—A dry goods clerk.

Apple Jack is first cousin to James Jams.

Has an off-hand way with it—A circular saw.

Motto for grocers—Honest tea is the best policy.

Tuneful Lyre—A music-teacher who does not keep his engagements.

Do people who have 'panes' in their eyes eventually become 'window blind?'

The Boston *Journal of Commerce* asks: 'Is the electric light safe?' Oh, yes, perfectly. Nobody is touching it.

On the order slate on the door of a carpenter shop a passing pedestrain discovered the following: 'Cum to ——'s Licker store a Dore to fics.'

A Spanish doctor has gone crazy because he couldn't exactly understand how a person's teeth chattered when he was cold. He should have asked some bootblack.

They tell of a very 'cultured' divine who, instead of saying 'The collection will now be taken up,' impressively remarks, 'The accumulation of money will now ensue.'

Notice—The person who stole 'Songs of the Sanctuary,' from pew No. 32 should improve the opportunity of sing them here, as he will have no occasion to sing them hereafter.

The lawyers of Mexico are a bit curious. It takes only fifteen minutes to convict a man of stealing a horse, but if his offense is murder it takes about four weeks to convict some one else of it.

There pork pies for supper. Jane took and ate one, but Mary took an no pie ate. Under these circumstances it may readily be imagined which damsel slept most soundly that night.

A Pittsburgh editor was attacked and severely beaten simply for saying a man was engaged to be married when he wasn't. If the woman in the case wore her hair banged the assault was justifiable.

A report is going around that in a neighboring city a barber charges lightning rod men five cents a shave in consideration of the privilege of honing his razor on their cheek. Book agents are shaved for nothing

One of our noblest young men expended over $100 in Christmas presents for his girl only to be given the sack the following evening. He is now hunting with a club for an individual who will maintain that it is better to give than to receive.

The Kansas newspapers desire that a physician of La Cygne, in that State, narrowly escaped lynching, because he invented a compound that would instantly sober a drunken man. Public sentiment was against anything that tended to cause a waste of liquor.

Petroleum for Harbor Defense.

A correspondent in York, Pa., Mr. D. K. Naell, suggests the use of burning petroleum for repelling hostile fleets from harbors like those of Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York. A hundred thousand barrels of oil poured upon an out-flowing tide would cover a large area of water, and when set on fire would sweep a fleet with a torrent of destruction that nothing could resist. When a stream of burning oil ran down the Allegheny river, a year or two ago the flames sometimes leaped up 100 feet, and threw out lateral tongues of fire terrible to see. Such flames around an iron-clad fleet would asphyxiate all on board.

Another plan would be to link together long lines or rafts of oil barrels and send them against the fleet by small, swift steam launches that could be steered by electricity from the shore. The barrels could be exploded and the oil fired by the same agency at the proper moment; and, if necessary, line after line of the fire rafts could be drifted or driven against the enemy until every vessel was destroyed. Such an application of floating fire might also be used to protece a system of torpedoes in a ship channel, by making it impossible to operate any counter system for exploding or removing the torpedoes by men in small boats.

Obviously this plan would not do to rely upon generally; though in certain emergencies it might be resorted to with terrible effect.—*Scientific American.*

The Text.

A pious old lady who was too unwell to attend meeting, used to send her thick-headed husband to church to find out the text the preacher selected as the foundation of his discourse. The poor dunce was rarely fortunate enough to remember the words of the text, or even the chapter and verse where they could be found; but one Sabath he ran home in hot haste, informed his wife that he could repeat every word, without missing a syllable. The words were as follows:

"An angel came down from heaven and took a live coal from the altar."

"Know every word," replied the husband.

"I am anxious to hear it," continued the wife.

"They are nice words," observed the husband.

"I am glad your memory is improving; but don't keep me in suspence, my dear," said she.

"Just get the big Bible, and I will say the words, for I know them by heart, I said them a hundred times on my way home."

"Well, let's hear them."

"Ahem!" said he, clearing his throat. "An Injun came down from New Haven and took a live colt by the tail and jerked him out of the halter!"

The memory of one-half who attend church is very similar to the above.

Midnight Company in India.

A recent writer gives us an idea of the society one is favored with when trying to get his natural sleep in variously populated India: What would some of your readers think, while lying quietly in bed beneath the inevitable mosquito net, if they were to see gazing intently from the ceiling right above a long, green lizard centipede, challenging each other to mortal combat; the centipede loses his hold, drops down on the net, and whips under the bed: you involuntarily shut your mouth quickly and turn over on your face, wondering whether or not he went down your throat or under the bed; you next scrutinize the horizon line of the mattress, and not being gifted with power to see but one spot at a time, you pivot around on your knees with a pillow upraised ready to smash him the moment you see his eye peering over the edge—but he comes not. Your attention is next called to a half-hundred large black bugs, which are indulging in a game of lawn tennis on the floor, when in steps a bandicoot, a rat as big as a "yaller dog," and devours this whilom garden party.

Father is Getting Well.

My daughters say, "How much better father is since he used Hop Bitters." He is getting well after his long suffering from a disease declared incurable, and we are so glad that he used your Bitters.—A lady of Rochester, N.Y.—*Utica Herald.* 3-2t

If an untruth is only a day old it is called a lie; if it is a year old it is called a falsehood; but if it is a century old it is called a legend.

—If you take our advice you will lose no time in calling on your druggist for "Sellers' Cough Syrup"—without an equal. Price, 25 cents. 2-4t

—Tumors, erysipelas, mercurial diseases, scrofula and general debility cured by "Dr. Lindsey's Blood Searcher." Sold by druggists. 2-4t

—Spring woolens now ready. Early orders solicited. Money saved.
12-50tf MONTGOMERY & Co.,
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How to Get Along.

Never stop to tell stories in business hours.

If you have a place of business be found there when wanted.

No man can get rich sitting around stores and saloons.

Never "fool" in business matters

Have order, system, regularity and also promptness.

Do not kick every one in your path.

More miles can be made in a day by going steadily than by stopping.

Pay as you go.

A man of honor respects his word as he does his bond.

Help others when you can, but never give when you cannot afford to, simply because it is fashionable.

Learn to say no. No necessity of snapping it out dog fashion, but say it firmly and respectfully.

Use your brains rather than those of others.

Learn to think and act for yourself.

Port Grape Wine for Sickness.

Decidedly one of the nicest and most creditable of any article of Wine we have ever seen, is the wine bearing the above name, made from the Portugal Port Grape, cultivated by Mr. Alfred Speer, Passaic, N. J. This Wine under the hand of Mr. Speer, has been brought to a state of great perfection. It possesses the highest medicinal virtues, and certainly as an article for medicinal use it is not, in our judgment, to be surpassed in color, taste, or any of the qualities which constitute a pure, mild and agreeable wine for the sick.—*Boston Transcript.* For sale by J. Zeller & Son. 3-2t

'Kissing your sweetheart,' says a trifling young man, 'is like eating soup with a fork; it takes a long time to get enough.'

Guilty of Wrong.

Some people have a fashion of confusing excellent remedies with the large mass of "patent medicines," and in this they are guilty of a wrong. There are some advertised remedies fully worth all that is asked for them, and one at least we know of—Hop Bitters. The writer has had occasion to use the Bitters in just such a climate as we have most of the year in Bay City, and has always found them to be first-class and reliable, doing all that is claimed for them.—*Tribune.*

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FARM FOR SALE.

HAVING determined to "Farm less land, and farm it better," the subscriber offers for sale one of the two farms he now occupies

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This farm is located on the north side of the Bald Eagle Creek, nearly opposite the borough of Howard. It has a frontage of 80 rods on the Creek, with a high bank which never overflows.

It contains 200 acres of land, more or less, about 140 of which is cleared. The remainder is woodland.

It is well watered, having besides the creek frontage, a well at the house, a spring run traversing the whole length of the place, and several springs in the fields, at least two of which are very fine ones, and so situated as to be easily piped to the buildings.

The buildings are beautifully located upon a roll of land, a few rods from the creek, upon the public road leading up and down the creek, and within ten minutes' walk of the post office, depot, stores and churches of Howard borough.

The house is frame, and nearly new. It is 32x35 feet in size, two full stories high, containing eight large rooms, with hall both up stairs and down, beside a first class cellar and attic, both of which are the full size of the house.

Conveniently near this is a good bank barn, also nearly new. It is 45 by 80 feet, containing two excellently finished threshing floors, a good granary, first rate stabling, and has attached to it a large corn crib, and wagon shed, 16x45 feet, with a mow overhead.

A portion of the land is well adapted to timothy, and has yielded, for its present owner, as high as three tons first-class hay per acre. A good P. K. Dederick hay baling machine, and Fairbank's scales for weighing the bales are now in the barn, and will be sold with the farm, if desired.

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Farms with so many advantages as this are rarely offered for sale. It will be sold at a fair price, and on reasonable terms.

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New Advertisements.

Wanted---Wood Choppers,

To cut Cord Wood at Wilcox, Elk county, Pa. This wood is to be used for making charcoal. The highest cash price per cord will be paid. Write or call on

WM. M. TATE,
3-3t* Wilcox, Elk county, Pa.

ADMINISTRAT R'S NOTICE.—ESTATE OF MATILDA BODLE, deceased.

Letters of Administration on the estate of Matilda Bodle, late of Union township, Centre county, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to Owen Underwood, residing in said township, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay, to

3-6t OWEN UNDERWOOD,
January 14, 1881. Administrator.

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3-4t WM. FLINT, Philadelphia.

ESTRAY.—CAME TRESPASSING UPON the premises of the subscriber, in Taylor township, Centre county, on or about the 1st day of November, 1880, one red HEIFER, with white-tipped tail, hole cut in right ear, and about one year old. The owner will come forward, prove property, pay charges and damages, and take her away, or she will be disposed of according to law.

LEONARD MERRYMAN.
D. G. GANOE, Twp Clerk.
Dec. 23, 1880.—1-3t

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation and Regulation of certain Corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended Corporation to be called THE SNOW SHOE COAL COMPANY, the character and object of which is to carry on the business of mining, shipping and selling of bituminous coal, and manufacturing and selling lumber, with the right to purchase, hold and dispose of all necessary property, real and personal, in connection with said business, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits, franchises and privileges conferred by said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

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January 1, 1881—1-3t Solicitor.

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Unseated Land Appeals.

APPEALS WILL BE HELD IN THE Commissioners' Office, Bellefonte, Centre county, Pa., for the purpose of adjusting the assessed value of unseated lands, as follows:

TUESDAY, FEB. 1. For the townships of Haines, Miles, Penn, Gregg, Potter, Harris, College, Ferguson, Halfmoon and Patton.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 2. For the Townships of Benner, Spring, Walker, Marion, Liberty, Howard, Boggs, Union, Huston, Worth and Taylor.

THURSDAY, FEB. 3. For the township of Rush.

FRIDAY, FEB. 4. For the townships of Burnside, Snow Shoe and Curtin.

All persons interested take notice.

ANDREW GREGG,
GEORGE SWAB,
JACOB DUNKLE,
County Commissioners.

HENRY BECK, Clerk. 13-3-3t

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.—BY VIRTUE OF THE order of the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania, there will be exposed to public sale at the COURT HOUSE in the borough of Bellefonte, on WEDNESDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1881, at one o'clock of said day, the life estate of JACOB V. THOMAS, under the will of W. A. Thomas, dec'd, so full and entire as the same passed to the undersigned, as his Assignee in Bankruptcy; said life estate consisting of a certain annuity payable annually by the trustees of said estate.

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The Sunday edition of The Sun is also furnished separately at $1.20 a year, postage paid.

The price of the Weekly Sun, eight pages, fifty-six columns, is $1 a year, postage paid. For clubs of ten sending $10 we will send an extra copy free. Address I. W. ENGLAND,
Publisher of The Sun, New York City.
12-48-6t

A PAYING OCCUPATION.

The approach of the long winter evenings calls attention to the matter of a lamp, for without a good light half the pleasure or profit is taken from reading or study. Coal oil is now in general use for illuminating purposes outside of cities or large towns where coal gas is used, and when a proper lamp is used it is the best substitute for sunlight yet discovered. The principle or plan upon which the Student Lamp is constructed may be said to be the best in use, but the lamp itself has always had several objectionable features which we are glad to to see are being done away with in the new aspirant for favor called the HOME LAMP, manufactured by the Home Lamp Co. of Cincinnati. The great objection to most other lamps is their liability to be upset, the trouble to keep them in order, and the poor light given by them. The New Home Lamp is Nickel Plated, and almost a *fac-simile* of the Student Lamp; it has a handsome ornamented clamp by means of which the lamp can be at once easily adjusted in any position upon the center table, piano, music rest, sewing machine, desk, or by means of a handsome bracket, which goes with the lamp, can be placed upon the wall, and in whatever position it is placed it is absolutely safe. This is the great feature of excellence, but the New Home Lamp combines also the patent argand burner, a filling indicator and match box. No lamp has ever before been received with such general favor or received such strong recommendations from the leading journals of Cincinnati. It is also endorsed by such men as the mayor and postmaster, several Insurance presidents and express agents of that city as the safest, most convenient and best lamp made. The company desires agents in this locality, and any smart lady or gentleman can make a handsome income during the next six months by canvassing for its sale. There is hardly a dozen families in this county who will not want one, and its price is so low as to bring it within the reach of all. For further information address, Home Lamp Co., Cincinnati, O., mentioning our paper and they will give you full particulars and exclusive territory to canvass in. 12-48-6t

STRAY BULL.—CAME TO THE PREMISES of the undersigned, in Union township, about two months ago, a red and white bull. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take him away, or he will be disposed of according to law.

JANE CAMPBELL.
January 7, 1881. 2-3t

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BELLEFONTE, PA.

What English Ladies Wear.

Thursday was a capital day at Sandown, socially considered. The weather was brilliant, recalling a bit of early spring, with sunshine and no east winds. Pretty toilets were abundant and eccentricity seemed less rampant than during earlier meetings. Perhaps winter clothing allows less scope in that direction. I noticed an entire costume of mulberry-colored plush, relieved by cream-colored chrysanthemums in the bonnet, and cream-colored lace and flowers on the muff. All the dresses were short, and either feet have grown more pretty of late or boot-makers more clever. Whichever it may be, the result is decidedly good. A champagne-colored velvet jacket made a sensation dividing the interest of the fairer portion of the assemblage with "Miss Kate" simultaneously with whose rather inexpected triumph the jacket appeared on the scene. It fitted very tightly, and was edged with sable, the dress and bonnet being of dark brown velvet. Ruby velvet appears to be a favorite stuff for dresses this winter. There were several on the lawn, one of them being thickly trimmed with gold braid and gold cord. Such dress would have been too much for most women, but it suited the tall, handsome brown-haired girl who had ventured upon it. But why sapphire earring? Small as they were, they were a great mistake. I noticed a greater quantity of "gems" than good taste usually permits with afternoon toilets. I concluded that the fair wearers had been reading Endymion. A dainty little lady distinguished herself in the *chiffon* line by wearing a bonnet and muff, both entirely composed of pink and dark red chrysanthemums. The effect was pretty and festive, though not exactly warm or comfort suggesting. It is a fact that the majority of the long brocaded velvet coats now worn have to be unbuttoned before the wearer can sit down! The buttons are so numerous that this must have its disadvantages. The prettiest dress, to my thinking, was entirely of black. Velvet and plush appeared to be the principal ingredients, with showers of jet and chenille fringe. The short coat, cut like a man's and fitting to perfection, had large black velvet flowers raised on a ground of white satin, and white Christmas roses were in the little black velvet or plush bonnet. Ladies will be glad to hear that "fluttered frog" is the name of the last new color; it is rather lighter than "frightened toad" or "angry mouse."

The Dairy.

Mr. George Conner, of Burlington, considers a ton of cornstalks worth more than a ton of hay for cows. He feeds to each milch cow one bushel of finely cut stalks, two quarts of bran and two quarts of cobmeal mixed and wet with water, both morning and evening.

At the late English dairy show, held in London, the highest prize for white cheese was awarded to a lot made in Herkimer County, New-York. This cheese was not over eight weeks old. After the show some of the prize cheese sold at eighty shillings per 112 pounds.

The following is said to be the comparative milk yield of the various breeds of cows: A native cow produces annually 1,794 lbs. of milk; Jersey, 3,820; Ayrshire, 4,300; American Holstein, 4,527. Taking the weight (950 lbs.) of native cows, they produce twice their weight in mil; Ayrshires, six and one half; Jerseys, four and one-half; Holsteins, five times.

The careful owner of a cow should always consider that the udder is a highly nervous and vascular organ, provided with a very finely diffused circulatory and secretive apparatus, and that a slight injury may have a very serious effect upon it. It is most probable that the cell structure of the milk glands is itself the source from which the milk is derived, and that these cells are replenished from the arterial blood conveyed to and distributed through the udder. When, therefore, it is considered that in a cow giving thirty pounds of milk in twenty-four hours, all this quantity is actually produced by the two fold change of blood into cells and of cells into milk and cream, the activity of the organ which performs this enormous work must be, indeed, wonderful; and it should not be surprising that a supposed insignificant circumstance may produce some unexpected and serious results. Bearing this in mind, one who keeps a cow should ever be watchful and cautious against the least variation of treatment that may so easily affect the condition of the milk.

Catching Cod Fish with Nets.

The Portsmouth (N. H.) *Chronicle* says: For many years in the early days of cod-fishery the only method of taking the fish was by the use of what are now termed hand lines, to distinguish them from set lines, or trawls. At length trawl-fishing was introduced, to the intense disgust of the hand-liners, who declared that the trawlers would kill off all the fish, or at least thin them out to such an extent as to destroy the fishing business; but the use of trawls became more and more common, until now the hand-line fishing is done but trifling. Recently we were informed that a new method of capturing cod-fish had been introduced, to wit, the employment of a gill net, with which the trawlers were as much displeased as the hand liners were with the trawls on their first appearance. This statement we were at first inclined to regard as a 'fish story," but we are assured that it is true, and that cod nets are in use by several vessels, one of them being the Northern Eagle, of Gloucester, Mass., with satisfactory results to the parties using them. The cod net is described as by no means a costly affair. The cod keeps near the bottom of the sea, and in consequence the net is only made three fathoms wide; the ordinary seine twine is used. One edge of the net is weighted to keep it on the bottom, the other edge being buoyed by hollow balls of glass; the net is set with anchors at each end, left out over night, the same as a trawl, and hauled in at the first opportunity. We see no reason why this plan should not work well, and no valid objections to its use. The mesh used being large, the small and unmarketable fish (of which thousands upon thousands are killed and thrown a ay by the trawlers) will not be taken at all and the disagreeable and tedious job of baiting trawls are avoided. It is said that this plan is due to a suggestion by Prof. Baird, of the United States Fish Commission.

Chaff.

"Say, Sue, see how I sue and sigh
And on the lea lay low—
For I upon this day do die
If you, O, Sue, say no!"

No tell tale sign does she shy show
While he his mad pleas plies—
The tear drops that do downward flow
Ooze as ease from his eyes.

"Ah, woe upon the way we war—
Do you not, Sue, say so!"
He lingered on his knees nigh,
For answer knew no nay.

'Eugene, Eugene, will you still insist on wearing the hair of another woman on your head?' 'Alphonse, Alphonse, do you still insist upon wearing the skin of another calf on your feet?'

'How do you pronounce s-t-i-n-g-y?' Professor Stearns asks the young gentleman nearest the foot of the class. And the smart boy stood up and said it depended a great deal whether the word applied to a man or a bee.

Banged hair is common enough, but it is not proper to bang doors.—*N. O. Picayune.* True; but many a young man thinks it quite proper to adore a bang when it is worn by his best girl.—*Rome Sentinel.*

A good rat tarrier kosts about 2 dollars a pound, colar weighed in. Color is no kriterion ov virtew, you will find mean ones, ov all colors. Just now sulpher color iz all the tumult in tarriers, but how long it will hold the people I kant state.

'Doctor,' said a wealthy patient to his physician, 'I want you to be thorough, and strike at the root of the disease.' Well, I will,' said the doctor, as he lifted his cane and brought it down hard enough to break into pieces a bottle and glass upon the sideboard. It was his last professional visit to that house.

A Galveston gentleman was pricing an old sofa in an auction room. 'This sofa once belonged to Lafitte; it is full of historical reminiscences.' 'There is one now, pa, crawling right up the back,' observed the gentleman's little boy. 'That's a fact; its alive with historical reminiscences,' said the gentleman, punching in the corner with his cane. No sale.

Old Statistics.

The President has decided to reappoint Channing Richards United States District Attorney for Cincinnati.

Out of every 1,000 men who get mad and swear they will see a lawyer about it only fifteen carry out their intentions.

Only one woman in 5,000 pays the first price asked for a bonnet, and only one milliner in 1,000,000 expects her to.

Out of 50,000 men only 700 will put up money on a bet. The rest will crawfish around and finally back water on their assertions.

Out of every 100,000 people in this country 19,000 get up cross in the morning, but only a hundred or so remain in that condition very long after breakfast.

The time occupied by the average man in buying a full suit of clothes is just one-fourth the time occupied by the average woman in buying a single pair of stockings.—*Free Press.*

The risk of being bitten by a dog is greatly overestimated. Out of every 1,000 big and little dogs only two care to get up a row with the human race, and those two are willing to die.

The number of men who can put in a more pleasant evening down town than at their own fireside is on the decrease, and the number of wives who are taking a little extra pains to make home more pleasant is on the increase.

Only ten women out of every 500 who start out on a journey by railroad consult a railroad map or have the least idea of the direction they take. Four hundred and ninety-eight worry about their baggage; 497 are certain they took the wrong train; 499 wish they had never started.

A Detroiter has been for the last two years collecting and arranging statistics of an odd nature, and if his book is ever published readers will find nothing dry about it. He goes right to business on page one by estimating that the number of lickings received by the averege boy up to his fourteenth year at 125. This includes the spanking process during infancy.

A Strange Recovery of Speech.

The East Portland (Oregon) *Telegram* gives the following account of the manner in which one of the mute inmates of the asylum near that city suddenly recovered his speech: For years Mr. Armstrong, a dumb inmate of the asylum, has plodded along, attending to his duties as a trusty, faithful man, being unable to speak word. On Sunday last the inmates were given a romp in the handsome grove, which is surrounded by a high wall, in order to sun themselves. One of the inmates, a rather wild individual, imagined he was a squirrel, and away he went scampering up one of the tall fir trees to its topmost branches, and would neither return to solid ground for pleadings or threats. As usual, Armstrong was near at hand and volunteered to go up and bring him back. He had climed about thirty feet from the ground when a limb broke and down came Armstrong bouncing among the branches, finally sitting sitting down upon the ground like the hammer of a pile-driver. The wardens expected to see him killed knocked senseless, but they were doomed to astonishment, as Armstrong sprang to his feet and burst out in a volley of profanity that would have put a trooper to blush. He kept up swearing without intermission for at least ten minutes, while everybody was transfixed with astonishment. He had recovered his speech and to-day can talk as well as any person, and to say that he is delighted in consequence of his fall is drawing it very mildly.

A Curious Affliction.

William B. Furguson, of East Springfield, whose peculiar and dreadful malady was fully detailed in these columns a few years ago, is now passing through the period of frightful spasms which recur at this time every year. It is now twenty years since Mr. Ferguson was first attacked with this unknown disease. During this annual season of horrible suffering the paroxysms come on regularly at seven o'clock in the evening and continue, with slight intervals, for about three hours, leaving him prostrate and exhausted. Precisely at seven o'clock the next night they recur, and so on for three, or four weeks, when they suddenly stop and leave him for another year. When in these spasms the muscles become rigid as bars of steel, and the body is thrown into frightful contortions. No known cause for the malady has ever been assigned, and although Mr. Ferguson has spent large sums of money in search of medical assistance, no relief whatever, even of a temporary character, has ever been found. A few years since he spent a weak in Cleveland at the medical college, and the faculty and all the leading physicians of the city for several nights witnessed his spasms, but none of them had ever seen a similar case or could diagnose the disease.

What the Ladies wear.

The latest scarf pin is a candlestick, containing a white enamel candle with a diamond flame.

The long redingotes are still worn by misses, but the newest styles are made with short fronts tablier drapery.

Pretty little Mary Stuart bonnets are made of any light shade in plush and trimmed with gold lace set on flat.

The new kid gloves fasten only at the wrist, and above it are closed like a stocking and wrinkle stylishly on the arm.

Sealskin mantles are more fashionable in Paris than the sacques. They are fastened with lions' or panther's claws in gilt.

The handsomest necklaces of the season after diamonds are those made of Etruscan gold, which is a dead color and very becoming.

Light colored cloths are still popular for jackets, and these are made warm-looking by having darker plush or velvet trimmings.

The fashionable stockings for little people are long and dark, of the same color and shade as the plush that trims or forms their garments.

A plain velvet costume is most elegant when entirely of velvet, but if a combination be desired velvet and satin will prove rich and fashionable.

The finest black cashmere dresses are trimmed with quantities of French lace. These goods looks best when not combined with any other material.

Many of the pretty table covers and curtains made of burlap are finished with a woven border or burlap and fringe, the joining covered with inch velvet, put on with herring bone stitch in scarlet and gold stitch.

BEESWAX and salt will make flat-irons as clean and smoothe as glass. Tie a lump of wax in a rag and keep it for that purpose; when the irons are hot rub them with the wax-rag, then scour with a clean paper or cloth sprinkled with salt.

SUMMARY OF THE NEWS.

The Senatorial Fight.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 12.—There are about a dozen candidates for United States Senator here and the night trains are expected to bring several more. The principle interest centres in Oliver and Grow, who will be the leading candidates on the first ballot. Both claim they will be nominated in the caucus to-day, and the other aspirants are just as confident that neither of them will be successful and that the choice will fall on some one else. Ex-Speaker Long, G. F. McLean and A. H. Rowan arrived this afternoon in the interest of General Moorhead, and C. L. Fitzhugh, Augustus Painter and Albert Childs in the interest of Oliver. W. S. Purviance and Sol Schroyer have returned to take advantage of any turn in the situation to spring George Shiras. A. Loudon Snowden is here to solidify the Philadelphia delegation in his favor, in the hope that such support would give him a good prospect of success Only about one-fourth the members of the Legislature are in the city.

Oliver Still in Lead.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 13.—The Philadelphia delegation has become the pivotal point of the whole Senatorial struggle. The motto of the leaders in the Grow camp have become "anything to beat Oliver," and they have been willing to adopt any candidates. Boss McManes would name who could bring them anything like a solid Philadelphia delegation; but McManes was not to be deceived by them. Willing as he might be to elect one of his Philadelphia friends United States Senator, he fully realizes that the Grow men were not in condition to transfer their forces solid to a third candidate, so he quietly kept out of Wolf's way. Mr. McManes is not against Mr. Oliver, but is quietly at work to-night doing what he can to strengthen him. He says Col. Snowden will not have six votes frome Philadelphia, and those will go from him on the ensuing ballots.

Mr. Oliver will be nominated in the caucus by Senator Newmyer, and will receive forty-eight votes from Philadelphia and Allegheny alone. Twenty-nine more will be required to nominate, and he will get them either on the second or third ballots.

Col. Quay thinks there is no danger of the contest being prolonged beyond the third ballot, and that it will probably be settled on the second.

LATER.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 13—9 p. m.

Caucus for United States Senator took up at 8 o'clock, and the factions are now warring furiously. Candidates are flying around mysteriously, and it is hard to tell who has the best of the battle thus far. The Oliver men claim that their man is as good as elected, while Grow's supporters are still hopeful that their favorite will win. There is a feeling among some that in case Oliver shouldn't make it at an early stage of the balloting, Cameron will bring new men forward, possibly Gen. Beaver, whom the luke-warm supporters of Grow would unite on and make sure his election. A ballot will not be reached before ten o'clock.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 14.—At the Senatorial caucus last night Harry W. Oliver, Jr., of Allegheny, was nominated for United States Senator on the third ballot after a hard fight. Twenty seven members refused to go into caucus and the contest was exciting throughout.

Hartranft's Nomination.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—A member of the Senate Committee on Commerce, speaking of the nomination of General Hartranft, pending before them, for Collector of Customs at Philadelphia, did not give a very encouraging account of its progress towards reaching any sort of a report. It has been on the books for some time, and nominations made since then have been confirmed. The Senator remarked that there was plenty of time before the fourth of March, if it would be decided to report the confirmation of General Hartranft as Postmaster, to fill the office, so that in event of the Senate not acting upon General Hartranft's nomination at all before March 4th, his official services will have come to an end. It is hardly probable, however, that the committee will entirely fail to act.

Gunpowder Explosion.

DETROIT. Jan. 12.—The store and stock of groceries, etc., of J. P. Andrews & Co., at Climax, Kalamazoo county, were blown all to pieces last evening by an explorion of one hundred pounds of powder. Twelve persons were injured, nine very badly. The loss on the building is $1,000, on stock $2,000. The clerk was weighing out some powder for a customer, when by some unaccountable accident the powder ignited and an explosion followed. It wast a miracle that no one was killed outright. Charles Gould, the clerk, John Shaffer, a customer, who had bought the powder, and Wm. Vanvalkenberg, a laborer, who was standing by, were so badly injured that they will probably die.

Telegrams Boiled Down.

Chicago spent nine million dollars in house building last year.

The Republicans of the Missouri Legislature will nominate D. P. Dyer as their candidate for United States Senator.

The Republicans of the Connecticut Legislature, in caucus Tuesday night, nominated General Hawley for United States Senator by acclamation.

In Philadelphia, yesterday, a 3-year old colored boy named Jackson forced a red-hot poker down a baby's throat, causing its death.

George Herrick, a wealthy farmer residing near Meadeville, Pa., while riding towards the town Tuesday morning, had his arms and legs frozen The themometer was 15 degrees below zero. He is sixty years of age, and may recover.

An Entire Fabrication.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.

Senator Blaine, in conversation with a correspondent, laughted at the circumstantial account now going the rounds of a reconciliation between himself and Senator Conkling, and particularly the account given on the earnest conversation betwoen himself and the New York Senator on one of the luxuriously furnished sofas of the Senate. The Senator said that the entire story was a fabrication, but still it was not worth noticing.

Immense Transfer of Oil Territory.

BRADFORD, Jan. 12.—Heavy transfers of oil territory have just been made between the Hazelwoood Oil Company, of Pittsburgh, and Benner Gordon, of this city, in which the former purchased from the latter 105 acres on the Bordell tract with twenty-four wells already drilled, for $105,000.

Sad Burial Scene.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 13.—A Salem, Ind., dispatch to the *Commercial* gives an account of a sad scene at a country graveyard near that place. On Saturday last Faris Dalton, an aged and respected citizen, followed the remains of his daughter to the cemetery. The father and three daughters were near the open grave, the undertaker removed the coffin lid and invited the friends to take a last look at deceased. The father stepped to the side of the coffin, cast one agonizing look upon the white face of his daughter, and fell dead beside the bier. The three daughters immediately swooned away, and were also thought to be dead. The scene that followed beggars description. Agonizing sobs came from all present, and for a time everyone seemed paralyzed with awe from what appeared an awful calamity—a visitation of God upon an entire family After a time the three daughters revived. The aged father's dead body was carried back to his home and prepared for burial; and now, side by side father and daughter sleep in peace, awaiting the great awakening.

Invitation to Inauguration.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The executive committee in charge of the official ceremonies and parade incident to the inauguration extend a cordial invitation to all civic and other associations throughout the Union to be present and participate in said parade. This invitation is extended to societies in all parts of the Union regardless of political affiliations. Acceptances should be made with the least possible delay, giving the number of persons coming, etc., to H. C. Borbin, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. A., Corresponding Secretary.

An Independent Department.

The House Committee on Agriculture unanimously agreed (Chairman Covert, who made a minority report, being absent,) to ask a suspension of rules to take from the calendar and put upon its passage the bill to make the Agricultural Department an independent department, and its head a Cabinet officer.

The Captain Generalcy.

The sub-committee of the House Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill proposing to make General Grant Captain General, met yesterday morning and decided to make a verbal report to the full committee to-day. Two of the sub-committee oppose and one is in favor of the bill.

Julius Cohn, manufacture of varnishes in New York, has assigned, with liabilities of $100,000.

Grow Men Holding the Fort.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 14.

The action of the Grow men in withdrawing from the caucus to nominate a United States Senator has created more excitement than anything that has occurred at the capital of a political nature for years. It is looked upon as a very important step in the history of the Republican party of Pennsylvania, and one that may lead to a split, unless averted by the judicious action of the Legislature in electing an U. S. Senator next Tuesday. Mr. Wolfe said: "We are willing to bring this question before the Legislature. The action of the caucus means that Mr. Oliver will never be elected United States Senator, and we will do all we can to get Mr. Grow a sufficient number of votes. We do not propose to take a man who is unknown to eight-tenths of the people of the State,"

DEMOCRATS TALKING GROW.

In the present condition of things it is hard to tell who will be the choice of the Legislature. The Democrats to-night are talking Grow, and it looks as if some coalition would be formed with the anti-caucus Republicans unless a compromise is made in that party.

Grant in a New Position.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The only remaining vacancy in the Commission was filled by the election of U. S. Grant by a unanimous vote. Several additional members of the executive committee were elected. Rev. Dr. Newman, chairman of the nominating committee, then nominated General Grant as chairman of the committee on permanent organization. After eulogistic remarks by several members, he was elected by acclamation. In an interview previously Gen. Grant stated that he would accept the nomination unconditionally.

Fall of an Iron Bridge.

HAVERHILL, Mass., Jan. 14.—The second span of the iron bridge between this city and Goverland broke through and fell into the river this afternoon. A team of four hourses, with a heavy load of lumber, was on the bridge at the time, and went down. The driver escaped uninjured. The horse car for this city had passed over only a few minutes previously.

Current Topics.

A new Arctic expedition is contemplated in England.

A majority of United States Senators and Representatives wear soft felt hats.

A daughter of General Worth has just been appointed to a clerkship in the Pension Office.

American deer have been sent to Krupp, of Essen, who wishes to acclimate them in Germany.

New Zealanders are happy because they are to be allowed by their Parliament to marry their wives' sisters.

Brazil has voted a credit of five million milreis for increasing its navy, and four million milreis for increasing its army material.

A woman sawed a hole in the ice at Fitzroy, Can., thrust her head through it into the water, and in that way drowned herself.

Two flocks of semi-domesticated quail are regularly found on the farm of Dr. Porter, who lives near Harrisburg, Pa. He feeds them regularly and protects them from hunters.

An alligator five feet long was recently captured in the Ohio River near Covington, Ky. It bore no marks of having been handled before, and probaly wandered up from the Gulf of Mexico.

Two cannon have been brought to Charleston which had evidently been used in the revolutionary war. Divers and wreckers operating in Town Creek found them. They are ten feet in length and six-inch bore.

Some ladies who will show their rings, and still cannot bring themselves to the vulgarity of wearing them outside their gloves, have the glove fingers cut at just the right joint to let the settings come into view. The apertures are neatly worked round with fine silk.

Moriarty, who had been assaulted by Schmidt, appeared against him in a San Francisco police court. "Did he have provocation to strike you?" the Justice asked. "He may have had something of the kind concayled about his person, put it was a brick he struck me wid," replied Moriarty.

Robert Walcot, of Philadelphia, is a centenarian who claims under oath to have fired the fatal bullet that killed General Sir Isaac Brock, the illustrious British Commander who captured General Hull's army at Detroit in the War of 1812, and and fell at the head of his troops in the battle of Queenstown November 13 of that year.

A Social Experiment.

Woman is by nature so erratic and inconsistent a creation that it doesn't do to bet on even her most marked characteristics. For illustration, the other day old Mr. Pungleup, of Nob Hill, was commenting on the railroad velocity with which young ladies jabber to each other whenever they meet, without either in the least understanding or replying to what the other says.

'It's just a clean falsehood gotten up by you good-for-nothing men,' said the youngest Pungleup girl, in dignantly.

'All right,' said her father, benignantly; "we'll try an experiment. I see your friend, Miss Gluckerson, coming up the street. Now I'll wager that new walking suit you want so much that you can't say 'roast turkey and cranberry sauce' in response to the first half-dozen remarks she makes without her noticing the fact.'

'I never heard of anything so perfectly absurd,' replied Miss P——; 'however, I might as well have that suit—it's just too lovely for anything—so I'll just do it to teach you a lesson.'

'Mind, now,' said her father, as the front door bell rang, 'fair play. You mustn't change your expression in the least and you must repeat the expression in your usual voice and manner—that is to say, in a single breath—all run together, as it were.'

Just then Miss Gluckerson was shown into the parlor, and through the library door old P—— could hear the usual osculatory peck exchanged and Miss G—— exclaim, without even the smallest comma in the whole remark

'Oh you lazy thing been here a perfect age don't look at this hat perfect fright going to have flowers set back and how changed why weren't you at the matinee Harry was there.'

'Roast turkey and cranberry sauce,' rapidly inserted Miss ——, accompanying the words with that peculiar preliminary and concluding gurgle with which all women, for some occult reason, invariably adorn their conversation when desirous of being agreeable.

'Going to Mrs. Bladgers' party?' continued Miss Gluckerson, with the serene rattle of a brook over the pebbles. 'Molly Smith is going they tell me she paints promised me a phaeton in the spring saw that hateful Miss Grupery on the street buff overskirt and green ruching just fancy.'

'Roast turkey and cran—'

'The girls at Clark's are to graduate next Thursday. Jennie Giggles is goin to be square cut with inside illusion and white kid boots; can't you come round for dinner to-morrow and stay all—'

'Roast turkey and—'

'Night and show Milly your new basque? That man with a light overcoat stared at me yesterday. Jim O'Neill is going East. This candy frightfully stale.'

'Roast turkey—'

'Ma thinks Mrs. Brown ain't proper. Those ferns are just too lovely to look at; these cuffs clean this morning; are my crimps coming out? Yours ain't. Lillie Shippen said you met Charlie Boggs and he said something nice; tell me quick.'

'Roast turk—'

'Why, how perfectly absurd you are, Linda,' interrupted the visitor, angrily. 'I was asking about Charley, not roast turkey! George Shelley thinks you're awful nice. Now, tell me, what did he say? Good gracious! What are you hugging me for?'

'And Tilda,' thoughtfully remarked Miss Pungleup, after the matter had been explained and her father admitted that he had lost by a scratch, 'I believe in my heart that if you hadn't thought about Charley just then I shouldn't have any new suit this winter.'

To Young Farmers.

To accomplish anything in life, it will be found necessary to go to work in earnest. No man ever made anything by not making an effort. Thousands of young men, with good resolutions, spend their time trying to find an easy way to make money, and the result is, they fail. What is necessary is to go to work in earnest. Make up your mind that success comes only from diligent application keep out of debt as far as possible and if you have made a wise selection as to location, you are all right. We would impress upon the minds of all a few facts gathered from experience:

1. You must have good land, and not pay too high a price for it.
2. You must be sure of a good market for all you can raise.
3. You will be required to select such crops for cultivation as will yield the greatest profit.
4. Don't try experiments until you reach a point when a failure will not embarrass you.
5. See to it that your expenses are kept at the very lowest point, and be sure not to spend money before you have made it. By far the larger number of failures come from wrong estimates. Your crops may look fine, and you may have an idea that your corn will yield close on to a hundred bushels to the acre, but owing to something which you do not understand, it only turns out fifty. Your wheat may look very fine, and all your neighbors may give it as their opinion that you will harvest not less than three thousand bushels, but when the threshing time comes you only measure up one thousand five hundred.

Now, if you have run in debt, expecting a hundred bushel of corn to the acre and fifteen hundred more bushels of wheat than you get, the chances are that you will find yourself in a position quite uncomfortable; but if you keep out of debt, you are all right. Learn to do without that which you have not the money to pay for, and success will come of itself.

Pets to be Avoided.

Ladies who keep both parrots and poodles must be careful not to entertain by accident the New Zealand kea, or carnivorous parrot, for the one pet would probably eat the other. The kea is a very disagreeable fowl, for not only does it attack living animals, but it wrecks the furniture of any building into which it finds its way. If left loose in a room it would reduce the picture frames to sawdust, rip up the carpet into ribbons, dissect the stuffing of all the seats, and in other ways make itself so odious that, as the saying goes, "no one would take it as a gift." In a wild state, the sheep is its favorite food, and the ferocity with which it keeps itself in mutton is one of the most remarkable facts in ornithology, the unfortunate sheep often surviving the parrot's attack even though the bird had made a hearty meal off it. It will not look at beef, and though it does not altogether dislike pork, the only diet on which it really thrives is sheep.

Words of Wisdom.

Discretion of speech is more than eloquence.

Joy finds its expression in almost every pathway of life.

That flower that follows the sun does so even in cloudy days.

The heart ought to give charity when the hand has not the power.

Beauty in a woman is like the flowers in spring; but virtue is like the stars in heaven.

The mind has more room in it than most people imagine, if you would furnish the apartments.

Love of truth shows itself in discovering and appreciating what is good wherever it may exist.

Human nature is so constituted that all see and judge better in the affairs of others than in their own.

The heart is a loom and it may weave whatever it pleases. It may make life a continual progress toward triumph.

A man need only correct himself with the same vigor that he reprehends others, and excuse others with the same indulgence that he shows to himself.

The Norwegian fishermen always carry with them on their expeditions a kind of telescope called a water telescope. This is a tube three or four feet long, an eye piece at one end. The other end, which is open, is placed in the water over the edge of the boat, and a little practice easily enables the observer to distinguish objects at a depth of from ten to fifteen fathoms. The fishermen are thus enabled to discover shoals which would otherwise go unnoticed. They then give the signal, their comrades surround them with seines and they frequently make wonderful hauls in places and under circumstances that would never have been suspected but for the use of the telescope.

It is not strange that the Mormons are indignant at the refusal of the Governor of Utah to give a certificate to Delegate Cannon. If Cannon is really an alien it is strange that nobody has found it out before. He is now serving his fourth term in Congress. According to his biographical sketch in the Congressional Directory, he is of English birth and came to this country with his parents at an early age. The proper way to determine a question as to his citizenship would be by a contest in the House and not by an arbitrary decision of the Governor.

A wedding party was assembled at Cleveland, and everything was ready for the ceremony, except that the bridegroom had not arrived. After waiting an hour beyond the appointed time, the bride fainted and the guests were about to disperse. Then a policeman came in, and said that he had driven from the door a drunken man, who wanted to enter. A search in the neighborhood resulted in finding this man, who was the missing bridegroom. He was not intoxicated, but had gone insane.

At a ball in Schwarzenberg, Saxony, a young man entered, having what appeared to be a cigar in his mouth. He went to the chandelier as if to light it, and a terrible explosion ensued. The lights were extinguished, the walls partly gave way, some of the dancers were covered with blood, and the young man was blown to pieces. He had killed himself by means of a dynamite cartridge.

The school board of Indianapolis, after experimenting for years with various heating apparatus, are now in favor of heating all school buildings with stoves instead of steam, believing them superior in respect of ventilation and distribution of heat.

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WESTWARD.	Exp. A.M.	Mail P.M.
Leave Lock Haven	5 25	4 25
Flemington	5 29	4 30
Mill Hall	5 34	4 33
Beech Creek	5 59	4 45
Eagleville	5 55	4 40
Howard	6 09	5 01
Mount Eagle	6 18	5 10
Curtin	6 25	5 15
Milesburg	6 36	5 25
Bellefonte	6 46	5 35
Milesburg	6 56	5 45
Snow Shoe Int	7 00	5 48
Unionville	7 09	5 57
Julian	7 18	6 08
Martha	7 27	6 17
Port Matilda	7 35	6 25
Hannah	7 42	6 33
Fowler	7 48	6 36
Bald Eagle	7 55	6 47
Vail	7 59	6 51
Arriv at Tyrone	8 10	7 02
EASTWARD.	P.M.	A.M.
Leave Tyrone	7 32	8 48
East Tyrone	7 39	8 55
Vail	7 42	8 58
Bald Eagle	7 47	9 02
Hannah	7 55	9 13
Port Matilda	8 00	9 19
Martha	8 07	9 25
Julian	8 15	9 32
Unionville	8 23	9 39
Snow Shoe Int	8 32	9 45
Milesburg	8 34	9 48
Bellefonte	8 43	9 57
Milesburg	8 54	10 08
Curtin	9 06	10 19
Mount Eagle	9 12	10 25
Howard	9 20	10 37
Eagleville	9 38	10 49
Beech Creek	9 40	10 54
Mill Hall	9 54	11 16
Flemington	9 57	11 29
Arrive at Lock Haven	10 03	11 25

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD—(Philadelphia and Erie Division.)—On and after Nov. 7, 1880:

WESTWARD.	
ERIE MAIL leaves Philadelphia	11 55 p
" " Harrisburg	4 25 a
" " Williamsport	8 40 a m
" " Jersey Shore	9 09 a m
" " Lock Haven	9 40 a m
" " Renovo	11 05 a m
" arr at Erie	7 45 p m
NIAGARA EXP. leaves Philadelphia	9 00 a m
" " Harrisburg	12 15 p m
" arr. at Williamsport	5 15 p m
" " Lock Haven	4 29 p m
" " Renovo	5 40 p m
Passengers by this train arrive in Bellefonte at	5 25 p m
FAST LINE leaves Philadelphia	12 20 a m
" " Harrisburg	4 00 p m
" " Williamsport	7 55 p m
" arr at Lock Haven	9 10 p m
EASTWARD.	
PACIFIC EXP. leaves Lock Haven	7 05 a m
" " Jersey Shore	7 37 a m
" " Williamsport	8 20 a m
arr at Harrisburg	12 05 p m
" Philadelphia	3 45 p m
DAY EXP. leaves Renovo	10 05 a m
" " Lock Haven	11 25 a m
" " Williamsport	12 25 p m
" arr at Harrisburg	3 40 p m
" " Philadelphia	6 35 p m
ERIE MAIL leaves Renovo	9 00 p m
" " Lock Haven	10 10 p m
" " Williamsport	11 30 p m
" arr at Harrisburg	3 00 a m
" " Philadelphia	7 05 a m
FAST LINE leaves Williamsport	12 15 a m
" arr at Harrisburg	3 15 a m
" " Philadelphia	7 05 a m

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Leaves Bellefonte 10.20 a. m., arrives at Snow Shoe 11.57 a. m.

Leaves Snow Shoe 2.00 p. m., arrives in Bellefonte 4.15 p. m.

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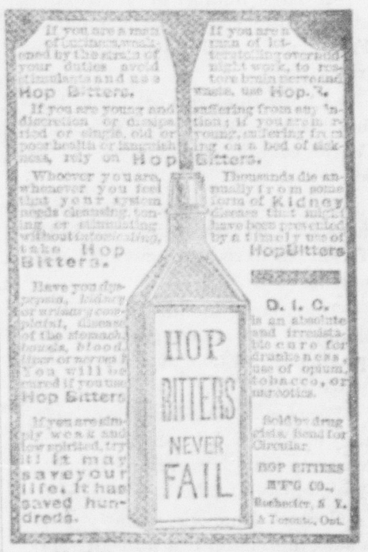
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By EDWARD T. TUTEN.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—No communications published unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

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Local Department.

—A gang of lumbermen were in town Monday celebrating.

—Our merchants are already preparing for the spring trade.

—Snow every other night, and a cold snap weekly, is the programme.

—A sled-load of "boozites" woke the echoes about town Saturday night.

—Boys have resumed coasting on the streets, much to the disgust of pedestrians.

—The Senatorial contest is over and dark horses should be led back to their stalls.

—Wilkesbarre has established a free night school, which is pronounced a success.

—The prospects for a brisk business opening in Bellefonte next spring are said to be flattering.

—The public schools reopened on Monday after three weeks' vacation. No mistake this time.

—Will any of the present incumbents of borough offices want to be re-elected? Oh, no!

—There are one hundred and eight dark horses eager to don the Senatorial collar, not including ourself.

—Delaware papers are already announcing the failure of next year's peach crop. Nothing like enterprise.

—The Clearfield county *Times* has closed its eighth volume, and starts on the ninth with evidence of prosperity.

—A large number of Bellefonters attended the concert at Lemont on Friday night, and report a pleasant trip.

—A horse thief is operating in Bedford county. Owners of fast nags in Centre county had better "watch out."

—Very few wagons are now seen on the streets in this vicinity. All kinds of vehicles have been provided with runners.

—The present month contains five Sundays. Now church goers ought to squeeze one sermon at least out of the five days.

—Eggs are coming down in price in many of the adjoining counties. Centre county hens, however, continue to lay high-priced fruit.

—General Hancock recently sent an autograph letter to a little girl who resides in Lancaster thanking her for a Christmas present.

—Thad. Longwell sports a cherry-colored nag and a Quaker-back cutter. Small stock will please keep to the right. Git, there!

—It is proposed in Allegheny to elect one woman in each ward school director. Not a bad idea, provided good material is selected.

—A party of young men from this place sleighed all the way to Howard Monday night in search of happiness—the kind that wears bangs.

—Both Christmas and New Years come on Sunday this year. Young America will mend it, though, as the glorious Fourth falls on Monday.

—The West Chester *Republican* says "dancing was the chief amusement at a ball in that place" recently. Surely our contemporary must be mistaken.

—Coasting was good on Saturday. We saw a man coast down the Court House steps on his back. His remarks concerning the exploit suggested a thaw.

—The jury in the libel suit against the editors of the Easton *Argus* returned a verdict of not guilty, the costs to be divided equally between the plaintiff and defendants.

—Bob Burdette, the Burlington *Hawkeye* humorist, is announced to deliver his lecture in Clearfield some time in March. We move that he be extended an invitation to come to Bellefonte.

—There is still large quantities of ice on some of the pavements in town. Why is the Burgess's request not obeyed more fully? Probably because the citizens of Bellefonte are not in the habit of obeying borough ordinances.

—The latest form of country swindling is that of a man who is getting up a history of the county and begs the endorsement of leading citizens. The signatures afterwards come back to them as subscriptions for the book, costing $12 a copy.

—A decision was recently rendered by Judge Hand, of this State, on an appeal from a regimental court martial, in which he takes it that an enlisted man cannot, under the laws of the State, be subject to a fine for non-attendance at company drill.

RELLEFONTE CAR WORKS.

Arrangements for Operating Them Perfected at Last.

After a persistent effort for several years past on the part of ex-Governor Curtin, assisted by some of our public spirited townsmen, a sale of the Bellefonte Car Works has been successfully made. We shall not attempt a history of these works at this time. The buildings were constructed in 1873 on the eve of the panic, and the manufacture of cars never undertaken. Since then they have been a sort of an elephant upon the hands of the owner, a puzzle to the citizens of the town, contributing nothing practically to the prosperity of Bellefonte, but have done much to excite the hope of future expectations. Finally Hon. A. G. Curtin, our most public-spirited citizen, the owner of the works, who has always been loyal to Bellefonte, and who has been determined from the first to get the works into successful operation so as to benefit the town, has, at a great personal pecuniary sacrifice, made a sale of them to one Wm. Lawson, Esq., of New York. The sale was consummated on the 13th inst., and the parties will be on to put the works in order and commence successful operation in a few days. Mr. Lawson is an Englishman by birth, is a man of wealth, and well acquainted with the business he has assumed to undertake in our midst. He comes to us with the assurance of success, and will contribute largely to the growth of our town and its business interests by his successful conduct of the enterprise in which he has embarked, and will give employment to several hundred hands. Although he is a stranger, yet he should be, and no doubt will be, welcomed by our people as a messenger of good in our midst, and should receive the encouragement and cordial support of all our business men and all our citizens, who are so deeply interested in the final success of our car works. We think we express the sentiment of our people when we say that to Wm. Lawson, Esq., Bellefonte will extend a hearty welcome, and will endeavor to do all in her power to aid and second him in his enterprise.

We also express the sentiment of our people when we say that Bellefonte is certainly under many obligations to her distinguished citizen, Hon. A. G. Curtin, for the personal sacrifices he has made in her behalf in this matter, and that he is entitled to and has secured the lasting gratitude of her citizens for this good work. With the successful starting of the car works, the development of the Snow Shoe coal fields, Bellefonte and Centre county will wake up to a new business life, shake off the lethargy of antiquated conservatism, and march forward in a line of progress and development such as they have not experienced for years, and such as will secure to our people a degree of prosperity heretofore unequaled. Let us, then, heartily welcome Mr. Lawson to Bellefonte, and resolve to be thoroughly loyal to the business interests of our town and county, and give every encouragement to the enterprise of Mr. Lawson, and to every other enterprise that will tend to build us up, increase our prosperity and happiness.

—The Pennsylvania postal changes. Established—Raughts, Elk county, L. M. Packer, postmaster. Postmasters appointed—D. K. Hepler, Hepler, Schuylkill county; John King, Hoover's Run, Greene county; John Fisher, Landenburgh, Chester county; G. W. Gallagher, New Washingtod, Clearfield county; A. C. Pense, Reev, Lawrence county; W. A. Denins, Terbutville, Northumberland county; J. B. McKinney, Wexford, Allegheny county; J. A. Cochran, Wolf Creek, Mercer county. Discontinued—Island Point, Wayne county; New Scottsville, Beaver county.

—A couple of young school girls had a narrow escape from being run over on Allegheny street yesterday by jumping from a two-horse sled. One was thrown some distance from the sled and the clothing of the other caught on the runner and came very near dragging her beneath it. The practice of jumping off and on sleighs when in motion is a dangerous one and parents should forbid it if they care to save the expense of a funeral.

—Mr. Stephen H. Best, formerly of Clinton county, now of Nittany Hall, gave us a call Monday. As a farmer he is all that his name implies. Mr. Adam Decker, Jr., one of Hublersburg's prominent citizens, also dropped in for a few moments' chat. Mr. Decker announces that he will shortly remove to Nittany Hall.

—Mrs. Barger, an authoress of considerable note, has been the guest of Mrs. John Ardell for a few days past. Many of our citizens are familiar with one of her recent works—"Wrecked but not Lost"—quite a number of copies having been disposed of in Bellefonte and vicinity.

Did Brown Have a Hand in It?

A reporter of the Williamsport *Banner* recently visited George Smith in his cell, the man who, as our readers know, is now under death sentence for the murder of Andrew Miller. It will be remembered that a colored man named Brown was suspected at the time of being a party to the murder, but was discharged shortly after his arrest. From facts which have recently developed, together with the statement now made by Smith, it is possible that Brown did play a prominent part in the bloody tragedy, notwithstanding the evidence was insufficient to implicate him. The *Banner* says:

"With death staring him in the face, and with no hope other than the slim one of receiving a commutation of his death sentence to imprisonment for life, Smith persists in making Brown not only equally guilty with himself, but charges him with being the instigator of the murder, giving the details with a minuteness and voluableness that at least bears the semblance of truth. And here, we might add, Mrs. Miller who, while stoutly denying having witnessed the actual murder, is of the opinion that Brown assisted in the murder of her husband. And yet, the relation of the incidents immediately connected with the murder as told by George Smith, and Mr. Catharine Miller, prove conclusively that one or the other is not telling the truth. * * * Without passing an opinion as to his guilt or innocence, his guilt having been pretty clearly established by law, there is much that he says now that is utterly inconsistent with what he said formerly, and with evidence elicited at the trial, and his statement does not tally with that of Mrs. Miller, who has perhaps greater inducements for telling the truth than Smith. That there is still something held back is very evident to one who has followed the history of this murder down to the present time."

Mrs. Miller has been confind to her bed for several weeks, and has the appearance of a consumptive. Those who have seen her express the belief that her sickness is not feigned, as some have thought. She acts as if she was glad that she is really sick, frequently expressing the hope that she would never leave the jail alive. In a casual allusion to the murder she disavowed all knowledge of it—that is as to how it was done—excepting such information as she got from Smith, who spent the remainder of the night in the house.

—The population of Pennsylvania is according to the new census 4,282,738; ratio of representation, 21,433. Allegheny gains two members, Clearfield, Dauphin, Delaware, Fayette, McKean, Philadelphia and Westmoreland gain one each, and Lackawanna and Luzerne together gain one. Berks, Bucks, Carbon, Crawford, Erie, Franklin and Venango lose one each. Net gain, three. The present house consists of 201 members.

—Our wide-awake sister town of Philipsburg, whither so many Bellefonters have located of late, is to have a new enterprise. The *Journal* says: "Among the new enterprises recently looming up in Philipsburg, we are pleased to mention the arrival of Mr. E. H. Underhill, of Auburn, N. Y., who has made arrangements to locate in this place and supply the wholesale trade with lubricating and burning oils. He has made arrangements for office room with Mr. W. P. Duncan, on Front street, nearly opposite Loyd's Hotel. Mr. Underhill is an intelligent business gentleman, of large experience in the oil trade, and purposes using his best efforts to meet the wants of this large trade centering in this and adjoining mining and lumbering districts."

—If the following is a correct decription of what is called a "blizzard" then we have no desire to form the acquaintence of one, not this year: "A bluzzard," says a Dakota man, "is the Northwestern name for a gale of wind filled with snow and icy particles, as fine as rice powder, with a temperature ten to twenty degrees below zero. A genuine blizzard is so fierce that you can neither face it nor distinguish objects ten feet away from you. In Dakota and Minnesota, during the prevalence of a blizzard, farmers only venture out of their houses with guiding ropes around their persons to enable them to find their way back."

—A small boy on skates attempted to catch on behind a sleigh Friday on High street. He didn't grab at the right moment, and before he was aware of what was going on his heels were in the sleigh and his head under the runners. Fortunately the youngster was not injured, but so badly confused that he went home immediately to think about it.

—The long period of cold weather and abundance of snow is giving the lumbermen in this and adjoing counties a very substantial boom.

Death of a Former Resident of Bellefonte.

We learn from the Worcester, Mass., *Spy* of the death, on Sunday, the 2d inst., at his home in Sutton, Mass., of Mr. B. L. Batcheller, a former resident of this place, and well known to a great number of the citizens of the county. Mr. Batcheller came to Bellefonte some time in the year 1872 to engage in the shoe business, and shortly afterwards opened the Boston boot and shoe store, but did not succeed in the enterprise. He was at one time superintendent of the Lock Haven shoe factory, and acted as agent for several like establishments in various parts of the State. The *Spy* contains the following in relation to his death:

"Mr. B. Lincoln Batcheller, who died suddenly last Sunday, after a brief illness terminating in congestion of the brain, was a man of more than ordinary ability and influence, and always prominent in public affairs. He had filled various town offices, and in all displayed much executive ability. He was at the time of his death town clerk, to which office he was first elected in 1877, and re-elected each succeeding year. He was a representative in the Legislature of 1856-57, also on several occasions the agent of the town. But perhaps the work in which he took the most pride was that he did in securing the publication of the history of his native town. He was chairman of the committee of publication, and as such accomplished what no other one could have done. He will be greatly missed, not only in his family, but by his many friends, whom he was ever ready to make sacrifices in serving. His death is the third that has occurred among the officers of the town during the period of a little more than ten months."

The New Reformed Church.

Work on the new German Reformed church edifice is progressing as rapidly as possible under the circumstances, although the weather greatly interferes with it. The building, through natural advantages of location, handsome style of architecture and superior quality of workmanship tend to make it the handsomest and most durable church structure in town, indeed, we might say Central Pennsylvania. The building committee of the church were very fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Neff, a gentleman of superior moral qualities and intelligence, as "boss" stone cutter and carver. Mr. Neff enjoys the honor of having done much of the fine granite carving on famous Publing Building, at Philadelphia, and he is not losing his reputation by his excellent work in this town. We can say no more than that both Bellefonte and the members of this congreation are to be congratulated on having him in our midst, both in regards to his efforts to beautify our town and his excellent moral examples.

Sudden Death in College Twp.

On Thursday of last week Mr. Jesse Fulton, who had been living on the farm of Moses Thompson, in College township, was found dead in one of the outhouses on the premises, whither he had gone to attend to the wants of his four-footed tribe. He had been in feeble health for many months, but it was not expected by his family and friends that he would drop off so suddenly. He was one of the oldest citizens in the township, and highly respected by all who knew him. The funeral took place on Saturday, and was very largely attended—in fact, it was the largest funeral that has taken place in that vicinity for many years.

—The Altoona *Sun* of Friday says: "The Pennsylvania railroad company having purchased the Snow Shoe railroad, took possession of the road and its belongings on the first day of the present month, making it a part of the Tyrone division. It is said that additional mines will be opened in that region during the coming season." The *Sun* is a little hasty in its announcement. We are reliably informed that the matter of transferring the Snow Shoe to the Pennsylvania control has not yet been closed. The papers are now being drawn up for signature, but the Pennsylvania company will not take possession until some time in February.

—The election of a County Superintendent of public schools takes place in May next. Candidates for the office are coming to the surface all over the county. C. L. Gramley, of Rebersburg; Prof. D. M. Wolf, Spring Mills; G. W. Rumberger, Fleming; Rev. D. G. Kline, Jacksonville, and Constance Cambridge, of Unionville, are a few of them, and half the townships not heard from. Of the above named, Prof. Wolf seems to be the favorite.

—Up to the present time we have had nearly five weeks of steady sleighing, more than we had during the entire winter season of 1879-80. According to Vennor and the general outlook, there will be sleighing from now until spring.

The New "Temperance Law."

The proposed new temperance law, a notice of which recently appeared in these columns, has been printed for general distribution. We give below, in brief, a few points contained in the law. It will be observed:

1st. That the temperance law is intended to secure a local prohibitory liquor law for such districts of the State (counties, cities, wards, boroughs or townships) as may by formal vote accept it, and that it applies to no other.

2d. That the first six sections provide the methods by which when enacted the law may be accepted, viz: By petition to the court of at least one-half of the qualified voters of the district; scrutiny of such petition by the court; an order by the court for a vote at the ensuing February election, at which time the qualified electors, and all women of lawful age to be affected by the law, may vote for acceptance or rejection.

3d. Sections 7 to 45 declare what shall be unlawful sales, and provide punishment for violation. Any intoxicating liquor, by whatever name called, and sold as a beverage, is forbidden. Making of cider or wine, from fruits grown by the manufacturer, and sold for purposes other than a beverage, is not forbidden. The buying and using of liquor in a private dwelling is not forbidden.

4th. Sections 45 to 48 provide for the sale of liquors imported under laws of the United States, and also pure alcohol to druggists and physicians for medical, mechanical and artistic uses.

5th. Sections 48 to 52 provide that upon petition of fifty or more taxpaying citizens in any district accepting the law, the court, if "of the opinion that such appointment shall be for the promotion of general convenience and welfare," may appoint a suitable person as liquor agent, for the sale of pure liquors, for purposes other than that of a beverage. Bond of $1,000, with securities, is required, and forfeiture and other penalties for violation are named.

6th. Sections 53 to 55 provide for permission to manufacture liquors and sell the same in quantities not less than one barrel, to be used in arts, or for mechanical purposes. Bond of $2,000 with securities is required, with forfeiture and other penalties for violation.

It is believed by those interested in this new measure that should it become law, will promote public peace and prosperity by removing the causes of broils and strife and lessen taxation and private charity. Legitimate interests of the Commonwealth and people will not, it is claimed, be injuriously effected, although, in our opinion, there is but one way of finding that out—by actual trial.

Nevling to Hang.

The counsel for John O. Nevling, who had been convicted of the murder of Samuel Pennington, in Houtzdale, in the fall of '79, appealed for a new trial at the last term of the Clearfield court, but were unsuccessful in their efforts. On Monday of last week Nevling was brought before the court and sentenced by Judge Orvis to be hung, and there is no doubt in the minds of those acquainted with the facts in the case but that he deserves it. The *Reveille* says: The Judge, sheriff, district attorney, lawyers and spectators all appeared to be affected more than the prisoner. His countenance never changed, and he took his seat after the sentence with as much composure as though he was setting down to a meal.

Reducing Licenses.

A number of the President Judges of the State have adopted Judge Pearson's order in regard to the proposed reduction in the number of licenses in their respective jurisdictions. It has been contended that courts had no discretionary power in the matter, and that when an applicant appeared before the court properly indorsed and complying with the demands of the license law, nothing remained for the court to do but to grant him a license to sell intoxicating beverages. The admission of Judge Pearson and other judges that courts have control over the number of licenses to be granted is a concession in the right direction.

Sudden Death.

Mrs. Felix Mullen died very suddenly Friday afternoon at her residence on Spring street. She complained of a pain at her heart, and was removed to her room up stairs, when she expired in a few moments, and before medical assistance arrived. Deceased was the mother of Mrs. Margaret Brockerhoff, and was in her 72d year.

—A big tramp, the first that has visited Bellefonte for several weeks, entered Charlie Rine's cigar store Wednesday and proceeded to make himself at home. Not caring to have such a customer about, Charley ordered him out, but he returned in a short time and laid himself away behind the stove. He was ejected a second time in a business like way, and concluded to stay out. The last that was seen of him he was on the hunt of a lime kiln.

—Mr. Jonathan Harter, of Millheim, says the *Democrat*, has subscribed the magnificent sum of $1,000 towards the building of the new Lutheran church at that place.

Board of Agriculture.

Following is the programme of the annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Board of Agriculture, to be held in Harrisburg, commencing Wednesday, Jan. 23d. It will doubtless be of interest to our farmer readers to know the nature of the subjects to be discussed before the Board, and by whom:

1. Geology as it Relates to Agriculture, by Prof. J. P. Lesley, State Geologist.
2. The Horse, by Gen. John F. Hartranft.
3. Adulteration of Food, by Dr. J. Luffmann, Miscroscopist of the Board.
4. Food and Feeding of Animals, by Dr. E. Harvey, member from Delaware.
5. Machinery vs. Hard Labor, by D. H. Foresman, member from Lycoming.
6. Preparation of the Ground for Wheat, by J. D. Lytle, member from Butler.
7. Is the Importation of Foreign Live Stock a Benefit to the Farmer? by A. D. Shimer, member from Northampton.
8. The Proper Time for Planting and Pruning Fruit Trees by Prof. D. Wilson, member from Juniata.
9. Rotation of Crops, by J. Miles, member from Erie.
10. Preparation of the Ground for Corn, by N. F. Underwood, member from Wayne.
11. Does the Application of Artificial Fertilizers Pay? by M. W. Oliver, member from Crawford.
12. Value and Culture of the Potato, by W. S. Roland, member from York.

A Human Prodigy.

Besides being famous for her improved breeds of cattle and swine, Chester county now comes forward in a new light. The keeper of her county prison has petitioned the commissioners to reduce the salary, on the ground that the service he renders does not warrant the pay awarded it. This is virtue only to be found where men are devoted to patriotic politics. A man who will voluntarily admit that he is receiving more than he is worth is not often encountered now-a-days.

—It is not our fault that the following appears at this late day, but the secretary's, who is evidently not aware that time flies: The semi-annual meeting of the Central Penn'a Dental Association met at Tyrone, on Wednesday of last week. The meeting was well attended, and one of the most interesting ever held by the association since its organization. Essays were read by Drs. J. P. Thompson, G. L. Robb, W. B. Miller, J. C. M. Hamilton, J. M. Stuart and J. D. Geissinger. Huntingdon was selected as the place of next meeting, and July 5, 1881, as the time.

—In regard to the terrible boiler explosion at Allentown recently the *Item* says: The statement given out that a leak in the boiler has no tendency to weaken seems to be erroneous. The testimony taken by Coroner Troxell in his effort to establish the cause of the explosion at the rolling mill shows that the boiler exploded where the leak had occurred, and that this is the weakest spot of the boiler when its strength was subjected to extraordinary pressure, the nature of which has not yet been ascertained.

—The joint board of viewers appointed by the courts of Clearfield and Centre counties to view the bridge which crosses Moshannon creek at Osceola, one end being in Clearfield and the other in this county, met the latter part of last week to attend to the duties of their appointment. The *Reveille* is of the opinion that an iron bridge will be constructed.

—A Chester county man was seriously poisoned a few days since by inhaling the dust from old sleigh-bells which he was cleaning. This furnishes a powerful argument to be used against sleigh-riding.

—A party of elderly people of the "upper crust" regaled themselves to Centre Hall on Friday aboard the Mountain Echo, drawn by four spirited steeds.

The Markets.

BELLEFONTE, Jan. 18, 1881.

Wheat old, per bushel	$1 00
" new, No. 1	95
" " " 2	85
" " " 3	60
Rye per bushel	60
Corn, cob, new	45
Corn, shelled, old	50
Oats new	30
Cloverseed	3 50@4 25
Flour, retail, per barrel	5 60
Flour, wholesale	5 00

HAY AND STRAW.

Hay, choice timothy, per ton	$16 00
Hay, mixed, per ton	14 00
Long rye straw, bundled, per ton	10 00
Short straw per ton	6 00@8 00

PLASTER.

Cayuga, ground, per ton	$ 7 50
Nova Scotia ground, per ton	10 00

Provision Market.

Corrected daily by Valentines & Co.

Apples, dried, per pound	4
Cherries, dried, per pound, seeded	10
Beans per quart	8
Fresh butter per pound	25
Chickens per pound	5
Cheese per pound	20
Country hams per pound	
Hams, sugar cured	16
Bacon	7
Lard per pound	8
Eggs per doz	20
Potatoes per bushel	50
Dried beef	20
Wilson's pressed beef per pound	25
Canned tomatoes per can	16
Lemons per doz	
Dried sweet corn per pound	8
Small Onions per quart	